

G.O.P. Effort To Cut Costs In Farm Bill Is Repulsed

House Passes Measure Without Proposed 10 Per Cent Slash.

Democrats Pledge 'General' Economy

Refuse to Accept Move by Minority as a Sentiment Test.

By Robert C. Albright.

A Republican attempt to lop 10 per cent off the \$927,000,000 agriculture appropriation bill in a party test of the President's economy objectives was turned back in the House yesterday by a 219 to 32 vote.

The Republican motion was repulsed by a shouting, impatient Democratic majority, following promises by leaders of "a definite, orderly co-ordinated plan" for reducing expenditures before adjournment.

Refusing to accept the minority motion as a test of economy sentiment, Representative Clarence Cannon, Missouri Democrat in charge of the bill, pledged a "general program of economy throughout the Government," but flatly opposed the farm bill cut.

The vote came on a move to send the bill back to committee for a 10 per cent slash. It was the motion of Representative John Taber, of New York, ranking minority member of the House Appropriations Committee.

Byrnes Plan Gains Support.

Cries of "vote, vote" all but drowned out the loud challenge of Taber to "stand by the economy message" of the President, and shouts of "louder" left Representative Cannon struggling to be heard against the cut.

Only two Democrats and 30 Republicans stood to be counted for the slash when the vote was taken. When, by an overwhelming majority, members refused to take a record vote, the bill was passed by the booming affirmation of a Democratic chorus.

As Republicans raced to retrieve the retrenchment issue now actively being taken over by the Democratic leadership, Taber earlier in the day introduced a joint resolution to make 10 per cent cuts in all appropriation bills previously passed.

He said his resolution would apply to the independent offices, Treasury and Postoffice, State, Justice and Commerce, Labor and legislative bills, and the Federal lump sum in the District bill. It would give the President authority to make 10 per cent transfers of funds between agencies.

A similar all-embracing reduction already has been proposed by Senator James F. Byrnes (Democrat), of South Carolina, to be offered near the close of the session. The Byrnes plan for horizontal 10 per cent cuts, with exemption of fixed charges and a transfer privilege for the President, yesterday was gaining wide support.

It is believed the basis of the plan, Representative Cannon, told the House yesterday, "will be arranged and presented in the manner said it would provide for reductions in an orderly way, instead of upon a piece-meal basis."

Booth Partial Backer. "Retrenchment," said Cannon, "cannot be effected by bringing one bill up at a time, but only by a general program of economy throughout the Government."

Aired for the first time at the recent White House budget conference, the President is said not to plan, but to have interposed no objections. Both House and Senate leaders since have conferred on the proposal, and in the end it may have at least tacit administration backing.

A second budget-balancing proposal by Byrnes would cut the relief appropriation from \$1,500,000,000 to \$1,000,000,000 and require all States financially able to do so to cut up 50 per cent of the cost of WPA projects.

The Byrnes plan to make States share the burden of Federal relief gained the partial backing yesterday of Senator William E. Borah.

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Wirephoto: Gunfire and Tear Gas Rout Pickets During Strike Riot



The appearance of a truckload of spinach during strike outside the cannery at Stockton, Calif., was the signal for rioting in which 50 persons were injured. Shotgun blasts followed a tear gas attack that was in progress as this picture was made.

Bill Would Ban Tidal Basin as Memorial Site

House Gets Measure as 2 Senators Join Fight for Cherry Trees.

(The Inside Story—Page 7.)

Introduction of a House bill forbidding use of the Tidal Basin for the Thomas Jefferson Memorial and the enlistment of two more Senators in the wrangle furnished the highlights yesterday in "Affairs of the cherry blossom."

The House Library Committee opened hearings on a resolution which in effect would prevent construction work being started at the Basin, only to adjourn after but three of more than 30 witnesses had been heard because Chairman Kent E. Keller wished to find out first whether John Russell Pope has been signed to a contract as architect for the memorial.

A few hours later Representative Allen T. Treadway (Republican), of Massachusetts, a member of the Library Committee, complicated the issue further when he introduced a resolution which forbids the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Commission to build at the Tidal Basin.

A. I. A. Embarrassed. At the same time Chairman Keller was informed that the Wearin resolution, upon which the Library Committee opened hearings yesterday, was embarrassing to the American Institute of Architects. The measure, sponsored by Representative Otha D. Wearin (Democrat), of Iowa, directs the commission to lead a competition for selection of the design under supervision of the A. I. A.

"The American Institute of Architects has taken no part in framing this proposed legislation and the references to it in the bill were not inserted at its request or initiative," Keller was told by Francis P. Sullivan, chairman of the A. I. A. committee on public works and the National Capital.

Meanwhile additional opposition to the memorial commission's plan came yesterday from the Senate side. In the course of debate on

Windsor Angered By Book Accusing Him of 'Muddling'

London, April 23 (AP)—Suppression of a book last charged, in one passage, that Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin was disturbed by "muddling, fuddling and meddling" in his relations with the then King Edward was demanded today by the Duke of Windsor's attorney.

The book is "Coronation Commentary," by Geoffrey Dennis. A. G. Allen, Windsor's attorney, asked publishers William Heinemann Ltd. to publish an apology.

Father Divine Returns to Harlem 'Heaven' And Peace Reigns Once More—Police Hope

By the Associated Press. New York, April 23.—"God" is back in his "Heaven" and all is right with Harlem—the police hope. "Peace, God is back on earth," his disciples chanted. "Ain't it wonderful!"

Lorton Fugitives Believed Robbers Of 2 Stores Here

Two holdup men, believed to have been the pair who escaped from Lorton Reformatory Thursday, last night held up and robbed two liquor stores, escaping from the last store amid a hail of bullets fired by the proprietor.

Edward Smith, 47-year-old proprietor of a liquor store at 608 Eleventh street southwest, told police he believed he injured one of the men as they sped away in a gray-bodied sedan.

His store was held about ten minutes after a pair answering the same description had robbed another store at 429 Fifteenth street northeast and escaped with \$300. Police said the descriptions fitted Martin J. Walsh, 36, and Walter Forbush, 22, convicted members of the "blackface gang" who "crashed out" of the Lorton Reformatory.

Sen. Bachman Dies at Hotel Of Heart Attack

Seizure Is Fatal to Tennessee Democrat Who Succeeded Hull.

Senator Nathan L. Bachman, of Tennessee, died unexpectedly last night in his apartment at the Continental Hotel.

A heart attack brought death to the 58-year-old Democrat, who was appointed to the Senate in 1933 to fill the unexpired term of Senator Cordell Hull, who became Secretary of State.

For the last week, according to Dr. J. Russell Verbruyck, the Senator had been "a little ailing." He did not become seriously ill until yesterday, the doctor added.

Only yesterday afternoon, the physician asserted, he called on Bachman and urged him to go to a hospital. He was summoned hastily to the Senator's apartment by a nurse last night, but by the time he arrived the Tennessee lawmaker was dead.

Efforts were being made at the Bachman apartment late last night to locate the Senator's wife, who is understood to have left earlier for the family home in Chattanooga by train.

For a number of years Bachman served on the Tennessee judiciary. He left the State Supreme Court bench in 1924 to seek a seat in the Senate, but was defeated in the primary election. He devoted his attention to law practice and political activity from that time until his appointment with the elevation of Hull.

In the general election of November 6, 1934, Bachman was returned to office by a Democratic landslide.

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Anti-Trust Suit Opened Against Aluminum Co.

U. S. Starts Gigantic Legal Fight to Dissolve Mellon Firm.

By William V. Nessler.

A gigantic court fight to dissolve the mighty Aluminum Co. of America, Andrew W. Mellon concern, on charges it had violated the antitrust laws was begun yesterday by the Government.

Attorney General Homer S. Cummings announced suit had been filed in Federal District Court in New York seeking "a rearrangement of the company's property so as to break its monopolistic control." The suit named Mellon, a former Secretary of the Treasury, as a defendant, along with 35 other officers, directors and stockholders, and 25 subsidiary and affiliated companies.

Shares Decline. Announcement of the suit was followed by a decline of up to \$7 in shares of the company on the New York Curb Exchange. The decline was not severe, considering the high price the stock has maintained. It closed at \$150 yesterday, but had been as low as \$146 and as high as \$172.50 this year.

The company opened its defense at once with a statement of denial of the Justice Department's charges. It called itself "the most investigated concern in America," pointing to several inquiries of its affairs that had been conducted by the Federal agencies without showing "any wrongdoing by the company." It insisted it had "increased rather than lessened competition" and pointed out that while aluminum was selling for \$5 a pound at the time the company was founded, the price now is 50 cents a pound.

Filing of the suit raised the question again of whether a general offensive under the antitrust laws might be contemplated by the Department of Justice.

Shakeup Under Way. The Attorney General said recently that a shake-up was under way in his antitrust division, with a view to increasing efficiency. He said some men would leave the division and "new blood" was being brought in.

At the same time he declared a general study of "what to do about the antitrust laws" themselves was under way. Commenting on the delay in making a report to the President on alleged collusive bidding by steel and other companies doing business with the Government, the Attorney General said investigation of the bidding had led directly into a study of the laws.

He pointed out that the Sherman act was made a law some 47 years ago, and numerous court decisions later had affected it, knocking off some of the "sharp edges" and "pulling some of the teeth." Then came the Clayton act, he said, followed by another set of court decisions. More recently, the NRA.

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Four British Warships Convoy Food Freighters Into Bilbao

Rebel Vessels Blockading Basque Port Retreat Before the Hood, World's Biggest Battleship; Italian Regular Troops Join Gen. Mola.

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Bilbao, Spain, April 23.—Three British food ships, covered by the guns of H. M. S. Hood and three destroyers, today ran the rebel blockade of this famed port.

The Hood, world's mightiest battle cruiser, drove off menacing rebel warships. Loyalist shore batteries at Bilbao aided in relieving the hunger of the besieged city.

Thousands of Basques, many gaunt and staggering from lack of food as result of Gen. Franco's "strangle-hold" on this ancient Basque capital, swarmed the Nervion docks tonight as millions of pounds of food were hauled from the holds of the merchant ships Stanbrook, MacGregor and Hamsterley. Women clutching babies, pleaded for food.

British Ships Halted. Jose Antonio Aguirre, young president of 600,000 semi-autonomous Basques who gave their support to the Loyalists at the outbreak of the civil war, ordered the foodstuffs distributed as rapidly as possible.

As the steamer Stanbrook, with Capt. William Brance on the bridge, led the food ships through the perilous waters outside the three-mile limit, the rebels' biggest warship, the Espana, loomed suddenly out of the Biscay mist. Two other insurgent warships trailed her.

The rebel warships halted the freighters and moved in to board them and take command.

Letlist Ships Appear. Then the Hood and the three British destroyers approached. The Hood's captain exchanged signals with the rebel ships and a moment later the Espana ordered the freighters to proceed.

The food ships moved slowly into territorial waters. The Hood and destroyers remained outside.

A moment later the Basque government's warships, Vizcaya and Guipuzcoa, appeared, heading for the three rebel ships.

The enemy warships turned and disappeared, and a patrol of loyalist warships followed.

Elaine Barrie Wins Divorce as Judge Wishes Her Luck

Los Angeles, April 23 (AP)—The romance of John Barrymore and Elaine Barrie, often comic, often farcical, ended in a pale anti-climax today in a divorce court.

Dramatically, it was a bad third act. Elaine won her divorce from the one-time "great lover" of the stage and screen and walked out of the courtroom with these words of encouragement from Superior Judge Walter S. Gates:

"Better luck next time."

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Tenn. Legislator's Shotgun Wounds 8 at Loud Revival

Knoxville, Tenn., April 23 (AP)—Eight persons were wounded tonight by a blast from a shotgun fired by a member of the Tennessee Legislature who, annoyed by a noisy street revival in which these wounded were taking part, sought to force its dispersal at gun point.

Arthur J. Cockrell, member of the Tennessee House of Representatives from Knox and Loudoun Counties, was arrested after the shooting. None of the persons wounded was believed to be in a serious condition.

The shooting climaxed an argument when Cockrell, proprietor of a hotel near where the meeting was being held, protested at the disturbance. When Cockrell appeared on the street with a shotgun, three policemen attempted to disarm him, but in the scuffle the gun was discharged. The blast struck the sidewalk and scattered into the street a crowd of from 50 to 100 persons. Officers quoted the legislator as saying he brought the gun to the street "as a bluff."

Senators End 44-Day Hearing On Court Plan

'Unfeigned Regret' Over Closing Expressed by Ashurst.

By Sidney Olson.

On the forty-fourth day since the hearings began before the Senate Judiciary Committee on the President's court bill, Chairman Henry F. Ashurst arose at 3:47 p. m. yesterday to announce with no little solemnity:

"It is with reluctance and unfeigned regret that I declare the open hearings adjourned sine die." Ten reporters cheered moderately, 64 persons put on their hats and walked out, and the guards went over to wake up the sixty-fifth, a bearded gentleman who has slept unashamedly in the great marble room throughout the hearings.

The last witness before the committee, J. F. Smith, of Waterbury, Conn., chairman of the State Democratic Committee, proved to be one of the most effective witnesses of the near-100 that have exhausted arguments on both sides of the question before the committee.

Rebels on Court. Smith, from the home State of the author of the President's court program, Attorney General Homer Cummings, made clear his definite commitment to the New Deal in everything but the court proposal, at which he tossed a series of spear-pointed arguments. He said of the President's plan of "emergency" as a basis for addition of justices to the Supreme Court:

"The Supreme Court did not and could not prevent Jefferson from purchasing Louisiana. Ly. we have freed the slaves. Hoover from declaring a moratorium, nor Roosevelt from closing banks, abandoning gold standard, creating the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, providing relief and increasing farm income."

Patience Under Questions. "I think it is clear that under the present system an unsympathetic Supreme Court can neither prevent nor influence the handling of true emergencies."

Chairman Ashurst told reporters he believed the court bill would be before the committee in executive session for at least four weeks. "Time is our invincible ally," he smiled.

Senator Edward R. Burke (Democrat), Nebraska, an opposition leader, then said: "As long as he thinks time is his invincible ally, we have nothing to fear. I will neither seek to have the executive sessions lengthened nor cut down. The bill requires a great deal of study."

Smith had endured with considerable patience the usual grilling that opposition witnesses receive from Senator William H. Dieterich (Democrat), Illinois. Dieterich, repeating

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Gable's Accuser Found Guilty Of Fraud in Paternity Claim

By the Associated Press.

Los Angeles, April 23.—Mrs. Violet Wells Norton was convicted by a Federal court jury tonight on a charge of misuse of the mails in her claim that Clark Gable, film star, is the father of her illegitimate 13-year-old daughter, Gwendoline.

The jury, after 1 hour 55 minutes, found the plump, 47-year-old English woman not guilty of a second charge of conspiracy.

Mrs. Norton, who has persisted in her declaration that Gable is the "Frank Billings" with whom she as-

serted she had a romantic affair in England in 1922 and 1923, received the jury's verdict with no show of emotion.

Her daughter was not in court. Gable, who testified he never had been in England and was working as a lumberjack and at other jobs in Oregon during 1922 and 1923, did not attend today's sessions.

50 Are Hurt As Gas and Guns Repel Strike Mob

Appeal for Troops Made After California Battle at Cannery.

Special Deputies Armed With Clubs

25,000 Rail Workers in New York Demand Pay Increase.

On the Labor Front.

A strike of 25,000 railroad workers in New York at noon today was threatened by union leaders demanding wage increases.—Page 3.

The Ford Motor Co. assembly plant at Richmond, Calif., largest on the Pacific Coast, was closed by a sit-down strike.—Page 7.

The strike of 3,700 General Motors workers at Oshawa, Canada, was settled. Company and union spokesmen disagreed on whether union recognition had been granted.—Page 7.

The director of the New England Regional Labor Board called on Maine shoe manufacturers to meet with strikers' representatives or face charges of violating the national labor relations act.—Page 7.

50 Hurt in Riot.

By the Associated Press. Stockton, Calif., April 23.—State officers and deputy sheriffs poured gas and shotgun fire into a phalanx of pickets today, injuring perhaps 50 persons, and county authorities called for National Guard assistance during an attempt to reopen a strike-bound cannery.

Long prepared for the expected battle, special and regular deputies, reinforced by State highway patrolmen, opened fire as about 25 of 300 pickets advanced upon a spinach-laden truck approaching the cannery, into which an undisclosed number of workers had been conveyed.

State officers rushed down the street where the truck stopped and began throwing tear gas bombs. From behind a barricade surrounding the nearby cannery, 75 special deputies opened up with riot guns.

Fire Gas Shells. Other officers, on the roof of a nearby factory, fired nauseating gas shells and the pickets, swinging clubs and hurling rocks, fell back.

J. C. Fitzgerald, a member of the local council, rushed to a sound truck being used by county authorities and through the loud speaker proposed a truce. The battle waned and the pickets began to disperse.

State officers, who had recruited a picket handle army of several hundred citizens to "preserve order," urgently asked Gov. Frank F. Merriam to send National Guardsmen.

Nearly militia units were ordered to stand by for possible mobilization but the governor denied Odell's request for the time being and set Brig. Gen. Harry Merriam to make a survey.

While the wounded drifted into hospitals, taxing the capacity of emergency service, Gov. Merriam announced he had been informed all parties had agreed to an immediate conference to settle the labor dispute involved.

Five Hurt Seriously. Subsequently Karl Jensen, a strike leader, announced a "gentlemen's agreement" between pickets and peace officers whereby the strikers would permit the deputies to come out of the cannery and the police would fire no more gas.

Although the situation still appeared tense, the pickets continued drifting away from the thoroughfare in front of the plant after Sheriff Odell announced no further effort would be made today to move spinach into the cannery.

At least five persons were reported seriously injured. They included T. C. Lauritzen, 55. Shotgun slugs put out his left eye. A shotgun charge struck Benjamin Lopez, 28, and physicians said he might lose an eye. Henry Monroe was badly hurt about the legs. Several women were among the injured.

Waterloo road, scene of the battle, supplied some of the ammunition. From a railroad right of way on the thoroughfare pickets grabbed rocks and hurled them at the officers. Other pickets wielded clubs.

A peddler sold ice cream bricks in the thick of the battle. One bruly

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A. F. L. Invades Ford, Textiles Against C. I. O.

Motor Company's Reply Cool; U. A. W. Board Denies Dissension.

The American Federation of Labor undertook yesterday to enter two fields where organization efforts already have been put under way by the rival Committee for Industrial Organization.

It sought to open negotiations with the Ford Motor Co. to unionize that company's vast plants and received a cool reply. It announced also an aggressive drive to organize the Southern textile industry, where the C. I. O.'s textile workers organizing committee already is intensively campaigning to sign up workers into the United Textile Workers.

At the same time, rumors of dissension and disputes among leaders of the United Automobile Workers, C. I. O. union which has conducted the General Motors strike, reached the point where the union's executive board issued a statement denying all such reports.

Contributing to the general activity in labor circles, Secretary of Labor Perkins announced he was calling another conference here, on May 4, of industrialists and labor leaders to discuss collective bargaining procedure.

Jobs Reach High Level.

The Secretary also made public a report showing that factory employment and pay roll indices last month reached their highest levels since November, 1929.

John Brophy, director of the C. I. O., announced that because of changes in local industrial unions throughout the country will be started next week. He said that chartering of industrial unions outside the C. I. O. had been made necessary by the ousting by the American Federation of Labor of many C. I. O. unions from State and city central bodies.

After telephone conversations with William Green, president of the A. F. of L., here, for J. Dillon, Green's representative in the fight over control of the Georgia Federation of Labor, said at Atlanta that the federation had suggested to Edsel Ford that it act as bargaining agency for the Ford employees. Ford replied, the Associated Press reported from Detroit.

"Thanks for your telegram. While we appreciate your interest there is nothing we can add to what has already been said publicly."

Employees Free, Ford Says.

Henry Ford recently said his employees were "free to join anything they want to," but he added they were "foolish if they join any union."

At Atlanta, also, it was announced that the federation would seek to organize the 350,000 Southern textile workers. George Goode, Southeastern organizer for the A. F. of L., said charters had been mailed already to a dozen organizations of textile workers.

Secretary Perkins' report revealed that between February and March more than 305,000 workers had been returned to employment and weekly pay rolls increased \$15,100,000 in the manufacturing and non-manufacturing industries surveyed each month by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The report said:

"The March employment gain continued the practically unbroken succession of increases which have been shown each month since February, 1936. Approximately 1,600,000 more workers were employed in these industries in March, 1937, than in March, 1936. Weekly payrolls were \$68,400,000 greater than in March of last year."

D. C. Work Gains.

Figures for the District of Columbia showed that last month 1,054 establishments were employing 37,447 persons, an increase of 1.4 per cent in a month, while the weekly pay roll combined was \$964,685, an increase of 2.3 per cent over February.

The automobile workers' board said its meeting had given consideration "to the new organizational problems which have arisen with the tremendous growth of our 'Rumors of a deep split and dissension' but it added:

"The two classes of charters will care for both local organizations and city central bodies and State federations. Brophy made it clear that all charters would be issued from C. I. O. headquarters here in order to insure unity of action."

U. S. Aid Provided To Rebuild Homes

A law enacted yesterday authorizes the Federal Housing Administration to insure loans for reconstruction of property damaged in the recent Ohio Valley floods or in any other catastrophe occurring between now and 1939.

Stewart McDonald, Federal Housing Administrator, said a bill signed yesterday by President Roosevelt was intended particularly to provide insurance on loans in connection with last winter's floods, but also was "broad enough to cover other catastrophes such as earthquakes, conflagrations, tornadoes, cyclones, hurricanes, and floods which may occur during the years 1937, 1938 and 1939."

Insurance is limited to 20 per cent of the total amount of loans made by a bank or other financial institution. The total of all insurance cannot exceed \$100,000,000, including the regular modernization and repair loans authorized under the original National Housing act.

Autographs Duplicated.

Seattle, April 23 (AP)—Lawrence Tibbett, the singer, discovered something odd in autograph signing here last night, when beekeepers handed him pads with carbon paper between the pages. The beekeepers keeping the original and selling the carbon.

Politics and People

Harrison-Black Federal Education Subsidy Bill Is Direct Threat to Balanced Budget.

By Franklyn Waltman

FOR a variety of reasons, one of the most interesting and significant pieces of proposed legislation now pending before Congress is the Harrison-Black bill providing Federal subsidies to the States for the promotion of more effective programs of public education.

This bill is of immediate interest because its provisions, if enacted, and there is strong sentiment behind the measure—are a direct threat to a balanced budget in the years just ahead, and, in all probability, for many years to come. Yet that is not the full significance of this bill and the support which has been rolled up behind it.

The bill is a demonstration of the rapid reorientation in public thought which has taken place during the depression years in regard to the American system of government. It is concrete evidence of the growing belief that the Federal Government today has a responsibility for matters, which under our dual system of government, were regarded only a few years ago as purely local.

For better or worse, it is perhaps inevitable that such an attitude should grow and force the acceptance of its objectives. But in the process the American system is being changed as certainly as day follows night.

The Harrison-Black bill on its face appears to be orthodox enough. Only the size of the appropriations involved would attract attention to it. The measure authorizes the appropriation of \$100,000,000 for the year after its enactment for distribution to the States in the proportion which the number of their inhabitants aged 5 to 20 years bears to the total number of such persons in the country.

This sum is to be increased \$50,000,000 annually until \$300,000,000 is reached, which would be in the fifth year. Thereafter the annual Federal subsidy of \$300,000,000 to be apportioned to the States for the improvement of their public schools in a manner prescribed by their State legislatures, clearly the year after its enactment, such as the length of the school year. Thus it follows the usual form of Federal subsidy legislation.

Leaders on Capitol Hill, however, clearly regard this measure as the "camel's nose under the tent." They have no doubt that once the precedent is established of the Federal Government sharing a part of the cost of public education on so large a scale that the day will not be far off when the share of the Treasury will be increased, not only for education but other undertakings.

This belief is supported by the observations of the Senate Committee on Education and Labor in its favorable report on the bill. This report contains these conclusions: "It is the opinion of the committee that it has been established beyond all doubt that without the support of the Federal Government there is not the remotest possibility of the establishment and maintenance of a reasonable and equitable minimum standard of equality of educational opportunity throughout the Nation."

By reason of the ownership and control by corporations of the natural resources and industries, and because the stockholders of these corporations reside in

States other than those in which the resources and industries are located, many of the States find themselves impoverished and all practicable purposes powerless to retain through taxation a sufficient amount of current income to produce within their borders to support adequate schools and other public services.

"The committee is of the opinion that the Federal Government has an inescapable interest in the maintenance of public education, and it must bear with the States the financial burden of supporting school facilities throughout the Nation."

The committee's conclusions were based on an impressive record of hearings at which standing educators appeared. In brief, the committee's contention is that the low standard of education existing in many States is not due to the failure of those States to place their financial resources in order, but results from a lack of taxable resources.

The committee further contended that through corporate structures the wealth of the country is syphoned to a small group of coastal States, and that it is inequitable that these States, which pay the major part of Federal taxes, should contribute to the support of education in the so-called backward States.

Moreover, an interesting point is made by the committee that these backward States contain a higher proportion of children of school age than do the wealthier, metropolitan States, and thus are contributing to the Nation's population, while the other States are negligent in this respect.

In seven largest American cities the population of which consists chiefly of American stock, the committee asserted in this respect, "the birth rate is 40 per cent short of the rate required to maintain a stable population; in all cities having over 100,000 population the deficiency in birth rate averages over 20 per cent, and, in the smaller cities the deficiency is about 8 per cent."

On the other hand, farm families are producing about 50 per cent more children than required to replace the farm population, and the rural non-farm families rear children at the rate of 30 per cent greater than the number required to replace themselves.

The committee further pointed out that "those sections of the Nation least able to support public schools are those largely devoted to agriculture."

The case made out by the Senate Committee for Federal contributions to public education is applicable, as it said in the observation quoted above, to "other public services." The same argument can be advanced in behalf of the Federal Treasury paying a part of the cost of health protection services of a State; of its welfare institutions, such as orphanages and mental disease hospitals; of its police and penal systems—in short, of any governmental function.

Once the principle is established that the wealthy States of the Union should contribute to the support of the poorer and so-called backward States, through Federal taxation and appropriations, it will not be long before the principle is given general application for the simple reason that there are more States that would benefit under such an arrangement than lose.

Perhaps it is equitable that the wealthy States should contribute to the poorer States. If the Federal Government wishes to rule the Nation, perhaps it should pay. But what becomes of the dual system of government in America? What happens to the Federal Treasury? Those are problems just nowing over the horizon of the future and are for future generations to solve. The only purpose here is to point out the trend.

In Congress

YESTERDAY.

Senate. Not in session. Judiciary Committee concluded hearings on court reorganization plan.

Agriculture Committee considered the farm program.

House. Met at noon and adjourned at 5 p. m. until noon Monday.

Debate and passed the Agriculture Department appropriation bill. Ways and Means Committee continued railroad pension hearing.

Library Committee held hearing on Jefferson Memorial proposal.

TODAY.

Senate. Not in session.

Judiciary Committee considers court plan.

House. Not in session. Ways and Means Committee continues railroad pension tax study.

Agriculture sub-committee considers sugar bill.

Airlines Cut Time For U. S. Crossing

New York, April 23 (AP)—The "fastest" East to West commercial airplane service was open to all comers tonight with two of the three companies serving transcontinental patrons announcing faster schedules.

American Airlines will cut the time of its speediest New York to Los Angeles service next Sunday to 17 hours and 20 minutes to hold the "fastest" mark briefly. On May 1 Transcontinental & Western Air will slice its present 17-hour and 39-minute East to West service to 17 hours and 8 minutes. At the time, TWA officials said, the West coasters tonight with two of the three companies serving transcontinental patrons announcing faster schedules.

With the delivery of larger airliners June 1, the airline said, its transcontinental time will be reduced again.

Pacifists Condemn Use of Warships By Film Producers

The National Council for Prevention of War yesterday attacked the Navy Department's policy of extending free use of ships and personnel to motion picture producers in Hollywood.

Albert Benham, motion picture director of the organization, condemned the practice on three grounds, that it offered an opportunity for Navy propaganda, that it meant expenditure of the taxpayers' money for private profit and that it was unfair to the professional actor.

Precipitating the attack was an account in the Army and Navy Register of April 10 of how the captain and members of the crew of the aircraft carrier Banger and their wives participated in the making of a forthcoming film.

30 Spies Executed By Reds in Far East

Moscow, April 23 (AP)—The Communist Party newspaper Pravda reported today "destruction" of 30 foreign secret agents in the Soviet Far East, which, it said, has been honeycombed with spies, wreckers and armed bands.

Some of the spies, the newspaper charged, even wore Red Army uniforms. One ring of 30 agents was alleged to have been trained by "a foreign intelligence service" at Harbin, Manchukuo (a Japanese puppet state). Their mission, the newspaper said, was to blow up railway bridges and set fire to barracks.

Nazis Have 'Doubles.'

Vienna, April 23 (AP)—Austrian Nazi leaders have "doubles" who are serving the higher-ups from arrest, police said tonight. Announcing that 20 persons were seized for organizing demonstrations Tuesday, Adolf Hitler's birthday, authorities said officers missed the real leaders because the "doubles" stood out prominently and were seized instead of their chiefs.

Senators End 44 Day Hearing On Court Plan

'Unfeigned Regret' Over Closing Expressed by Ashurst.

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a question he has used numerous times, asked:

"If Landon had been elected President last November, would he not have appointed former President Herbert Hoover to the Supreme Court, in line with the practice of Republican Presidents to appoint defeated Republican Presidential candidates to the Court?"

Smith smiled and said: "I don't think Gov. Landon would have appointed Mr. Hoover to the court unless there was a vacancy there, in the first place."

Smith, in his prepared statement, had named as liberal members of Congress now fighting the Supreme Court change, the following: Senators Borah, Burke, Tydings, Wheeler and Johnson, and Representatives Cox, Wilcox and Pettengill.

"Can you name one liberal measure Congressman Pettengill has sponsored?" Smith could not. Dietrich then asked him the same question of Cox and Wilcox, with Smith unable to answer. He then asked if Smith knew what States the gentlemen represented?

Smith didn't know, and admitted he had taken the names of the "liberals" from a statement made by Senator Burke. Burke, who had vainly tried to interject a response during Dietrich's cross-examination (Dietrich repeatedly refused to yield), at length obtained the floor and said: "The best way to answer this is to let the liberal records of Pettengill, Cox and Wilcox stand against the great liberal record of the Senator from Illinois."

Dietrich asked, "Will the Senator yield?" Burke said, ironically, "I gladly yield."

Dietrich flushed, then asserted: "The Senator didn't catch my point." Burke snapped: "I used to be a catcher on my home-town baseball team."

"It seems so typical of many that have ensnared throughout the body's deliberations on the court program. A moment later Burke, who thought he heard Chairman Ashurst say "proponent" instead of "opponent" of the court bill on the committee, asked if that were true. Ashurst said swiftly: "No. The proponents are plural and the opponents are singular," vocally underlining the word "singular."

The morning witness yesterday was Gould Schumann, former Ambassador of the United States to Germany and to China, who opposed the bill on the ground the court "would never be the same again" if the bill were passed.

The seven-to-seven tie vote, with four members non-committal on the committee, may be broken with announcements today by non-committal members of their positions.

4 Women Clerks Lose Treasury Jobs For Money Thefts

Dismissal of four middle-aged women from jobs as clerks in the Treasury Department's currency redemption division because of the theft of small sums from money sent in by banks for redemption was announced yesterday by Herbert E. Gaston, an assistant to Secretary Morgenthau.

The Treasury declined to reveal names of the women, and said that it was unlikely they would be prosecuted, although their cases had been turned over to United States Attorney Leslie C. Garnett. The amount involved was said to have been less than \$100.

Gaston asserted in some cases packages of worn currency contained slightly more than the banks reported in their accompanying statements to the Treasury. He said in such cases the four employees in some instances had pocketed the "overage."

Reich Arms Costs Put at 4 Billions

Geneva, April 23 (AP)—Germany's secret armaments expenditures amounted to more than \$4,025,000,000 in three years under Adolf Hitler, the League of Nations' international labor office reported tonight.

L. L. O.'s report was prepared by Leo Grebler, former financial writer for the German newspaper Frankfurter Zeitung. The main purpose of the report was to explain and denounce the program begun in 1932 and the vast rearmament program which superseded it in relation to their effects on present German employment, but German diplomats were interested in the disclosures of the Third Reich's rearmament—cause of Europe's gravest war fears.

U. S. Will Try to Enjoin 'Frisco From Supplying Private Power

Will File Suit to Prevent Distribution of Current From City's Plant to Pacific Gas, Electric.

By the Associated Press.

Attorney General Cummings said yesterday the Government would file suit immediately to enjoin San Francisco from distributing electric power to the Pacific Gas & Electric Co.

Cummings said in a prepared statement distribution of the power was in violation of the Raker act, approved in 1913. The suit, he said, would be filed in the Federal court for the Northern District of California.

Under that act, San Francisco was granted the right to construct a power project known as the Hetch Hetchy, which is located chiefly within the Yosemite National Park and the Stanislaus National Forest.

World News at a Glance . . .

Budapest, Hungary, April 23 (AP)—The Hungarian Nazi "Fuehrer," Ferenc Szalasi, was sentenced today to three months in prison and prohibited from holding office for three years on a charge of inciting people against the state and the Jews. Members of the Nazi organization known as the "Nap" saluted him in the courtroom and shouted "perseverance" before they were cleared out by police.

Arms Parley Postponed.

Geneva, April 23 (AP)—The steering bureau of the adjourned world disarmament conference, sparring for time in the hope of improved chances on success, announced indefinite postponement today of a meeting scheduled for May 6.

Japanese City Burned.

Tokyo, April 23 (AP)—Reports from Hainan, Manchukuo, today said that a fire to the walled city of Huachen where there is a large Japanese colony, wrecking 30 homes and the school.

Fascist's Indictment Upheld.

Paris, April 23 (AP)—Indictments charging Col. Francois de la Roque and his aides with recreating the banned Croix de Feu in the French Social Party were upheld in court today.

Two Doukhobors Die.

Nelson, British Columbia, April 23 (AP)—The deaths of two Doukhobors and the illness of four others from a malady which doctors said resembled poisoning, resulted today in laboratory tests to determine the cause. The victims came from a section near which there have been recent incendiary fires.

People Hear George VI.

Windsor, April 23 (AP)—King George VI, dedicating a monument to "my dear father," appealed to his people today for "some measure of the trust and affection which were so fully given to him and to my father another George, who stood in the brilliant sunshine to

Holt Charges 'Postal Spies' Open His Mail Letters Intercepted After Every Attack on New Deal, He Asserts.

By the Associated Press.

Senator Holt (Democrat), West Virginia, charged yesterday his official mail was "being tampered with" and that he had complained to the Postoffice Department without "getting relief."

Holt, a frequent critic of Administration policies, said he had complained to the Postoffice Department yesterday for the third time. He said the tampering in each instance had followed one of his attacks on the Administration.

"This is the point where a United States Senator's mail is not free from official censorship because he disagrees with some of the Administration's policies," Holt asked.

Holt read to newspapermen two letters he said he had received from constituents in West Virginia backing up his charge that his mail had been opened.

"Postoffice Espionage."

One letter, which he said came to him dated April 22, from "a reputable attorney" in Moundsville, W. Va., said:

"The condition in which your mail is received shows beyond doubt your mail has been opened by the Postoffice Department for the purpose of ascertaining whether you are violating your franking privilege."

"You will no doubt receive other letters of this kind as I presume other mail of yours out of Washington is being opened."

"This is part of the espionage of the Postoffice Department directed against you because of the fact you are not standing 'four square' with the program of the President."

The attorney, whose name was withheld by the Senator, said the condition of the mail disclosed it had been torn open.

"No Question," He Says.

Holt said he had also received a letter from a manufacturer at Clarksburg, dated March 15, with similar charges.

Holt said he had complained to the Postoffice Department in May, 1936, about the time he started to attack WPA administration in West Virginia; again in March of this year, and yesterday.

"There is no question," he said, "but that my mail is being tampered with. It seems so much peculiar coincidence that the tampering usually follows one of my attacks on Administration policies."

The Senator said the espionage had occurred at seven postoffices in West Virginia over a period of a year. He claimed that postal inspectors had conferred with him about his complaints, but that "nothing has been done about it."

German Police Evict Jewish Homes Inmates

Berlin, April 22 (AP)—Nazi secret police today evicted hundreds of inmates from children's homes, sanatoria and homes for the aged supported by the Bnai B'rith, the Jewish Telegraphic Agency reported.

The evictions were ordered, the agency said, after expiration of a three-day notice to evacuate all confiscated premises of the suppressed Jewish order.

Engineers Reach Moscow.

Moscow, April 23 (AP)—Eight American radio engineers, headed by W. L. Van Keuren, of North Bergen, N. J., arrived today to assist Russians in the building of radio television factories at Leningrad and Voronezh.

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Colorado Governor Vetoes Mutuel Bill

Denver, April 23 (AP)—Gov. Teller Ammons today vetoed a bill legalizing pari-mutuel betting on horse and dog racing.

The Governor said he had investigated the bill thoroughly and "I am convinced that the benefits promised from a material standpoint have been greatly exaggerated; further, that Colorado would not receive anything like the financial returns that have been pictured."

M. P.'s Debate 20 Hours.

London, April 23 (AP)—Weary members of the House of Commons walked out into bright sunshine in evening dress today after a session lasting 20 hours and 53 minutes, prolonged by debate on a bill to provide relief for residents of industrial and agricultural centers.

Police Kill 14 in India.

Simla, India, April 23 (AP)—Police fired on a rioting crowd in Behror village, Alwar state, today, killing 14 and wounding 42. The British administrator began an investigation of the trouble.

Moslem Celebrants Guarded.

Jerusalem, April 23 (AP)—A heavy police guard was on duty as thousands of Moslems, in headresses and flowing robes of the desert tribes, marched into Jerusalem today for the annual feast of Nebi Musa. Islam's counter demonstration to Christian Easter. There has been serious rioting in past years.

Nazis Retire Opera Chief.

Berlin, April 23 (AP)—The official German news agency announced today the retirement of State Opera Conductor Leo Blech, a Jew, because he had reached "the old-age limit."

826 Sack Japanese Poets.

Tokyo, April 23 (AP)—A total of 826 candidates for the 468 seats in the Japanese House of Representatives was shown to have been filed today with the close of registration of contenders for the April 30 general elections.

Science Reads Growth Secret In Pigmy Rats

By the Associated Press.

Philadelphia, April 23.—A tribe of pigmy rats revealed today to science the secret mechanism which nature uses to make us grow.

Through their reaction to chemical tests, the rodent dwarfs showed that three substances—and possibly one or two others—are the basic growth controls.

It had been known through previous experiments that secretions of the thymus glands, small capsules in the neck, played a large role in determining growth. But it was not known what the magic agents were.

Today, in a report to the American Philosophical Society which he described how the pigmy rats were developed, Dr. L. G. Rowntree, director of the Philadelphia Institute for Medical Research, identified the three growth-stimulating chemicals.

He said they were glutathione, cysteine and ascorbic acid. Glutathione is found in fresh yeast, and ascorbic acid is vitamin C. Cysteine may be a separate element in the process or it may be a by-product of glutathione.

All three of these active principles are powerful iodine reducers. Thymus extracts in which they are present in large proportions are powerful stimulators of growth, which do not have them are impotent.

Dr. Rowntree began experiments with the thymus in rats four years ago. He injected excessive amounts of the glandular secretions in the rodents' bodies, and in a few generations developed giants rats.

In the work on which he reported today, Dr. Rowntree reversed the procedure and removed the thymus glands from a number of rats. In a few generations, a tribe of pigmy rats grew up.

To make a final check on the thymus's extract's power, Dr. Rowntree took the dwarf rats and injected into them some of the extract. As a result, normal growth returned.

Dr. Rowntree said it is possible there may be other active agents in the extract, and an attempt will be made to find them before the growth stimulant is ready for man's use.

President Asked to See Court foe Neighbor

New York, April 23 (AP)—President Roosevelt was asked today to hear one of his Dutchess County neighbors voice the objections of a group of patriotic societies to his judicial reorganization program.

The Rev. Thomas Robert Hazard, of Millbrook, pastor of four parishes and practical farmer, was announced as spokesman for the group seeking an audience at the White House.

In reply to a previous request, M. H. McIntyre, of the President's secretariat, said it was impossible to arrange for an appointment "at this time."

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Engineers Reach Moscow.

'Spy' Is Accused Of Lindbergh Kidnaping Role

Private Detective Swears Warrant, Tells of Foreign 'Plot.'

By the Associated Press.

Flemington, N. J., April 23.—An "international spy" was accused of "plotting" to kidnap and murder the Lindbergh baby, and a warrant for his arrest was delivered to County Prosecutor Anthony M. Hauck.

The warrant was issued by Justice of the Peace E. R. Hummer in Frenchtown on a complaint made by a Jersey City private detective, John J. McNally, who claims to have spent several years investigating the crime for which Bruno Richard Hauptmann was executed.

McNally accompanied by "eight or nine witnesses" appeared before Hummer last night. Hauck said the justice of the peace told him, and outlined the evidence. McNally's theory of the Lindbergh crime is that it resulted from an international plot hatched by foreigners whose enemy Col. Charles A. Lindbergh had incurred. The "spy" named in the complaint was said to be in New York, Chicago or Cleveland.

Prosecutor Hauck said Hummer was unable to recall details of the evidence presented by the witnesses or their names. He instructed the magistrate to return to Frenchtown for this information and meanwhile held up disposition of the warrant.

"Absolutely nothing to it" was the comment made on the McNally theory by C. Lloyd Fisher, chief counsel for Hauptmann. Fisher said McNally had proffered the information to him almost a year ago, but he was not "interested" in it. The Hauptmann attorney said it threw no new light on the celebrated case.

[There were reports McNally has attempted for a year to sell the story to newspapers and magazines. —Editor's Note.]

Hauck, meanwhile, sent a telegram to McNally demanding that he produce before him at once any information he might have warranting "your complaint made before E. R. Hummer."

Two Die in Chair Here for Murder Of John Wushnak

After hearty breakfasts in their cells yesterday, two colored men, John Homer Cummings, 29, and Willett Marcus, 23, marched to the electric chair set up in the mess hall of the District Jail and were executed.

Cummings was the first to die. Both paid the penalty for the murder of John Wushnak, a truck driver for a meat firm, killed in a hold-up attempt on January 4, 1935.

They died calmly. Cummings appeared agitated as he started on the last mile, but before he was strapped into the chair he waved farewell to the little group of witnesses. He was pronounced dead at 10:09 a. m.

Marcus almost outdistanced his guards as he paced toward the chair. As the mask was placed over his face he muttered, "Good-bye, good-bye, everybody." Then he told the attendants:

"Hurry-up, hurry-up, let'er go." He was dead at 10:18 a. m.

Missouri Kidnap Suspect Caught

Columbus, Ga., April 23 (P).—A man identified by Federal agents as Willis McDonald, 22, wanted for kidnaping at Kennett, Mo., was arrested by Columbus police today after a gun battle.

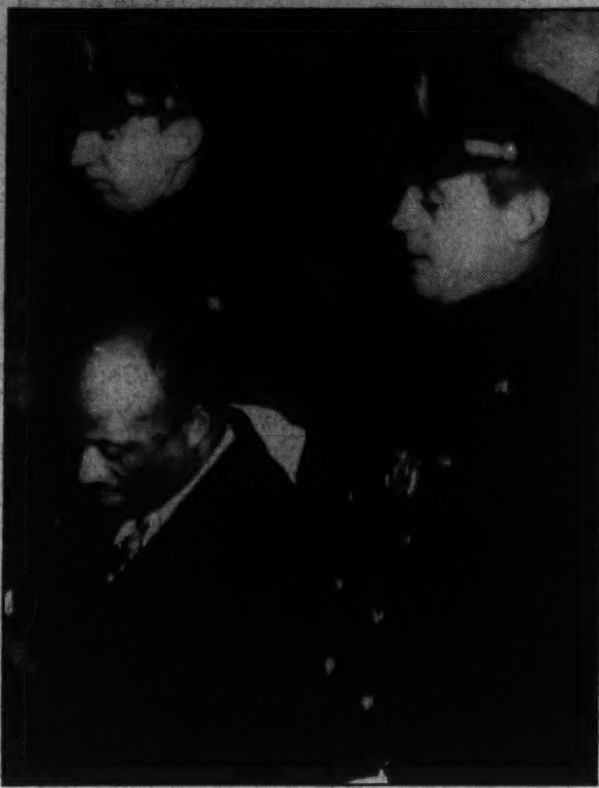
Patrolmen E. E. Satterfield and Jacob Land, who arrested McDonald, said he opened fire when they sought to question him. After firing four shots, the man surrendered.

Federal agents said a warrant was issued for McDonald at Cape Girardeau, Mo., August 28, 1936, charging him with kidnaping Rudolph Robinson, a traveling salesman, three days earlier and transporting him to Little Rock, Ark.

3 Towns Feel Tremors

Sidney, Ohio, April 23 (P).—Earth tremors were reported today in the villages of Botkins, Anna, and Jackson Center, the center of earth tremors in recent months. Although distinct shocks were felt for several seconds, no damage was reported.

Wirephoto: "Messiah" Makes Bail



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"Gpd" to his thousands of followers in the colored section of New York's Harlem district, George Baker, also known as "Father Divine," was booked on a felonious assault charge and released on \$500 bond as result of stabbing of a process server's companion at a Harlem "Heaven." Baker, who fled the city after the melee, was found hiding in a cellar in Milford, Conn.

Father Divine Back in Harlem On Bail; All's Well, Police Hope

Colored Leader's Bond Quickly Furnished Amid Tumult of Followers as He Is Arraigned in Stabbing Case.

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come on business, were kicked and beaten.

Father Divine, who is credited by his apostles with being the reincarnation of the Prince of Peace, took it "on the lam," as they say, immediately after the fracas.

When found peeking from behind a cellar furnace in his "extension heaven" at Milford, Conn., last night, the 5-foot fugitive said "peace" and returned to New York with the burly colored detectives.

In the police line-up this morning he twisted his cap and said he had gone to Milford on heavenly business.

"It has been my custom to visit various extensions of my heaven and I had intended going there that night anyway," he said.

"What was the cause of the trouble?" asked Capt. Thomas Dugan.

"I was not the cause, your honor," he replied, frowning quizzically. "I was preaching at the table and looking at the organist and preaching on 'The Great Enthusiasm.' Someone snatched me and some others started to push. The crowds pushed and I pushed back. Then someone snatched me."

"Ever been arrested before?" "I have. I believe they termed it disorderly conduct. That was in 1931 in Sayville, Long Island."

Arraigned before Magistrate William A. Farrell in Felony Court, Divine pleaded not guilty and was held in \$500 bail for a hearing next Friday.

Bail Quickly Supplied.

The bail was supplied promptly by a short, plump colored woman in a flaming red dress who said she was Saint Mary Bloom from the Harlem Heaven.

Asked where she obtained such wealth, she replied in firm tones that "the money is mine, personally." Arthur A. Madison, Divine's attorney, turned to her and said:

"Peace, it's wonderful." Emerging from the courthouse in a boiling sea of humanity, the former odd-jobs man from Baltimore almost winced under the ecstatic pummelings of his devotees.

"Victory! Victory! God is back on earth," they shouted. There were some who prostrated

themselves before the leader and there were others who kissed his automobile as it inched its way through the crowd.

There was no evidence of any split in the kingdom as a result of the recent defection of Divine's head angel, faithful Mary, who publicly announced that she had decided he was not "God" after all, but "just a damn man."

Faithful Mary was shaken up in an automobile accident at Hokokus, N. J., today, and the faithful eyed each other knowingly when they heard. It was the wrath of "God," they said.

Fireman Rescues Victim Trapped In Burning Home

Trapped in his room at 937 K street yesterday morning when flames forced him to seek safety on the window sill, Paul Henry was rescued from death by Fireman Charles Brumback.

Fighting his way to the room through dense smoke, Brumback entered the room just as Henry toppled unconscious to the floor. He was carried to safety by the fireman and revived outside.

Henry, a restaurant employee, was awakened at 3:30 a. m. by flames and smoke pouring from the bath room, where the fire started. He ran into the hallway and was forced back by flames and smoke.

Backing into his room, he was almost overcome before he could reach the window.

Firemen of Nos. 2 and 16 engine companies fought the fire for three hours.

The building is owned by W. Baldwin and is a rooming house. Other occupants escaped without difficulty.

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Rail Workers Strike in N. Y. Is Threatened

25,000 Freight Handlers, Clerks Demand Boost in Wages.

By the Associated Press.

New York, April 23.—A strike of 25,000 railroad freight handlers, baggage men, ticket sellers and clerks in the metropolitan area at noon tomorrow was threatened tonight because, their union officials said, the major railroads running into the city refused to grant a wage increase of 20 cents an hour.

No strike was voted by the union, the Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees, but union officials said so much irritation was evident at a meeting of chairmen of 125 locals this afternoon that a spontaneous walkout was almost certain.

Friction between the union and the International Longshoremen's Association over organization of dock workers, the officials said, was at the bottom of the trouble.

The union, which claims a national membership of 130,000, asked eight railroads April 14 to confer on the pay increase and was told, the officials said, that the roads were "not in a position to enter into a local agreement" because of a pending national demand made March 4 by the union for the same increase.

George Price, head of the union's New York Central branch and spokesman for the organization, said it wanted a local agreement immediately because the Longshoremen's Association had organized men properly under the railroad union and had made several contracts with railroads for them at higher pay than railroad union members were getting.

Price showed a copy of a letter from William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, to which both unions belong, ordering Joseph P. Ryan, longshoremen's president, to stop organizing the railroad union's men and "disassociate" those he had organized.

Ryan refused.

Price listed as the roads with which his union had sought negotiation the Erie, Central of New Jersey, Lehigh Valley, Long Island, Pennsylvania, Baltimore & Ohio, New York Central, and New Haven, and added that any agreement must include also the New York, Ontario & Western and the Lackawanna.

College May Queen



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MISS PATTY MORRIS,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin B. Morris, of Bethesda, Md., who has been elected May Queen for the coming spring festivities at Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, Pa.

A senior, she is majoring in French. Miss Morris is a graduate of Western High School here, and is active in college affairs.

Since her sophomore year she has been one of the May Queen's attendants. She is a member of the Little Theater Club and the College Chorus.

Snow Sweeps 3 States.

Denver, April 23 (P).—A wet, heavy snowstorm spread a blanket over most of Wyoming and Colorado today and reached into northwestern Kansas. In southwestern Kansas dust clouds were stirred up by the brisk north wind. Dust storms extended south to the west Texas plains.

Stories Conflict In Denhardt's Murder Trial

2 Witnesses Disagree in Relating Discovery of Widow's Body.

By the Associated Press.

New Castle, Ky., April 23.—Conflicting stories of the manner of finding the body of pretty Verna Garr Taylor in a roadside ditch last November were told from the witness stand today in the trial of Brig. Gen. Henry H. Denhardt for her murder.

The thin, gray-haired Henry County farmer, George R. Baker, a star witness for the Commonwealth, first told how he and J. B. Hundley found the widow's body.

A few minutes later Hundley, from the same witness stand, stated emphatically Baker was not present when the body of the woman was discovered.

Today's session of the murder trial that has attracted hundreds of sightseers to this village saw 16 witnesses take the stand, including Mary Pryor Brown Taylor, 22-year-old daughter of Mrs. Taylor, and her younger sister, Frances, 16.

During the late afternoon the defense got into the record a statement by Baker in which he said, "I don't know this man (referring to Denhardt) and I don't know this woman, but Mr. Denhardt could not have killed her because I was with him when the second shot was fired."

The statement was made after Mrs. Taylor's body had been found and after Denhardt had been quoted by Hundley as saying, "I couldn't have killed her; I loved her too much."

The State spent most of the day calling witnesses they hope will refute the defense's contention Mrs. Taylor took her own life. Both of the woman's daughters described her as lively and gay.

11 in C. I. O. Affiliate Are Accused of Murder

Columbus, Kans., April 23 (P).—County Attorney Joe Henbest filed murder charges today against 11 members of the C. I. O.-affiliated International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers in connection with the death of Lavoie Miller yesterday.

Miller and eight other members of the Tri-State Metal, Mine and Smelter Workers Union, now an A. F. of L. affiliate, were wounded in a burst of gunfire from the C. I. O. hall at Galena, April 11.

3 Ifs Give Berg Long Sentence in Maryland Prison

If Arthur R. Berg, 1018 I street southeast, hadn't been drinking on April 19, his car wouldn't have been in a collision near Suitland, Md.

If his car hadn't been in a collision, he wouldn't have been charged with driving under the influence of liquor and reckless driving.

If he hadn't been arrested and charged with these offenses, Officer Jack Dent, of the Prince Georges County police, wouldn't have discovered that he was carrying a concealed weapon.

In police court at Upper Marlboro, Md., yesterday, Berg pleaded guilty to all three charges. Judge George B. Merrick sentenced him to serve 18 months in the Maryland House of Correction.

'Sitters' May Sit, If They Behave

The 15 unemployed men and women "sitting down" in the public assistance division's offices may remain, Elwood Street said yesterday, "unless they become disorderly and obstruct the business of the office."

Street is director of the Office of Public Welfare and has jurisdiction over the public assistance division, in the 1400 block of U street.

The group came to the office on Thursday, Street said, and demanded immediate relief.

"After being interviewed," he added, "food orders were issued to some of them, but on the advice of their leaders they remained in the building and did not go out to cash them."

"Others wanted rent checks which could not be given immediately. Some could not show they were District residents nor that they had registered with the employment office."

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D. A. R. Close 46th Congress With Banquet

Society Adopts 'Trees' as Song; Hears Plea for Probation System.

After a final day of adopting resolutions, presenting reports, attending committees meetings, listening to speeches and making them, Daughters of the American Revolution closed their forty-sixth continental congress with a banquet last night at the Mayflower.

Prominently seated at the head table, near Mrs. William A. Becker, president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution, was the national society's new honorary vice president general, Mrs. William B. Burney, of Columbia, S. C., who won the position in yesterday's election.

Also in seats of honor were the 50 new and re-elected State regents and vice regents, who were presented to the congress at its last session yesterday afternoon.

A high light in the final day's program was an address delivered before the congress yesterday morning by Dr. Amos O. Squire, of Ossining, N. Y., medical examiner of Westchester County, who voiced a strong plea regarding the probationary system for first offense criminals.

Supporter of Probation.

Emphasizing that such a system is successful when properly administered, the former chief physician at Sing Sing Prison declared himself "a firm believer in probation because it gives a boy who makes his first mistake a chance. I am one of those who believe that if you want to make a bad boy worse, send him to prison," the speaker continued.

The average age of all prisoners is 23 years, Dr. Squire said. "It is presumed that 40 per cent of all crime the last year was committed by boys in their nineteenth year," he went on. In this connection, he also pointed out that the Nation's crime bill is between \$10,000,000,000 and \$15,000,000,000 a year.

Looking at the probationary system from the standpoint of the way it is handled in Westchester County, Dr. Squire said:

"Under proper management, sympathetic but still sternly administered, the probationary system has worked wonders and reclaimed boys who have been sentenced to prison, but have received suspended sentences. It has been our experience that out of the thousands that have been placed on probation, over 90 per cent have been salvaged to society."

'Trees' Is Theme Song.

Proceeding Dr. Squire's speech, the final report of the resolutions committee resulted in the adoption of a number of resolutions, among which were the following:

That the D. A. R. adopt "Trees," by Joyce Kilmer, as a theme song to be used at the opening and closing of their programs presented throughout the United States.

That the national society endorse the celebration of the 150th anniversary of the signing of the Ordinance of 1787 and the settlement of the Northwest Territory.

That the delegates accept the "standardized" version of "The Star-Spangled Banner," as harmonized by Walter Damrosch, for use at its meeting.

That the flag code adopted by the patriotic societies should be urged for adoption by the Congress of the United States as the official flag code of the United States, and that a bill embodying this precept be presented to Congress.

Four Daughters Live.

Another feature of the final day's meeting was the recognition by the Congress of the four living "real" daughters of the War of Independence. They are Mrs. Angelina L. Avery, 87, of Williamsburg, Conn.; Mrs. Annie K. Gregory, 94, of Williamsport, Pa.; Mrs. Caroline P. Randall, 87, of Springfield, Vt., and Mrs. Mary Pool Newsome, of Gibson, Ga.

The four are the last 741 women of their generation who have been identified with the D. A. R. since 1891, according to a report of Mrs. Julian McCurry, of Athens, Ga.

Mrs. Avery is the daughter of Solomon Loring, who entered the service as an aide at 14. Mrs. Randall's father, as a child, carried water to the wounded soldiers at Bunker Hill. Mrs. Gregory's father, Richard Knight, 11, entered the war as a drummer. Henry Pool, father of Mrs. Newsome, enlisted as a soldier at 14.

Among the State regents and vice regents elected and re-elected yesterday were the following:

Maryland—Mrs. Wilbur Bunnell Blakeslee, 222 St. Dunstons road, Baltimore, regent; Mrs. Maude Holt Maudsley, 4508 Roland avenue, Baltimore, vice regent.

West Virginia—Mrs. David E. French, Bluefield, regent; Mrs. H. W. White, Shepherdstown, vice regent.

North Carolina—Mrs. E. N. Davis, Wilson, regent; Mrs. C. W. Spencer, Wilmington, vice regent.

Regents and vice regents in the District of Columbia and Virginia hold over another year.

3 Firms Get Plans For Battleship

Only three shipbuilding companies have applied for plans of one of the new \$60,000,000 battleships with an eye to bidding for its construction, it was learned at the Navy Department yesterday.

The three companies are the New York Shipbuilding and Drydock Co., the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock Co., and the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation.

Each company posted a \$1,000 bond for safe return of the plans. Navy spokesmen emphasized that other companies could still apply for plans, and there was no indication that all three companies would necessarily submit bids July 2.

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Coach Concern Again Accused On Wagner Act

Breach of Organization Right Is Charged in Union Complaint.

The Washington, Virginia & Maryland Coach Co., which lost its Wagner labor act contention eleven days ago by a unanimous decision of the Supreme Court, yesterday was again accused of violating the act.

A complaint charging that the firm has violated section 7 of the act which provides that employees may organize without interference from company officials was filed yesterday at the office of Bennett Schlauffer, regional director of the National Labor Relations Board at Baltimore.

The petition was filed by Charlton Ogburn, general counsel of the Amalgamated Association of Street Car and Electric Railways and Motor Coach Employees. Assistants at Schlauffer's office said they could not discuss the case until it has been investigated.

The bus concern, which operates between Washington and nearby Virginia, was ordered by the Supreme Court to reinstate 19 men allegedly discharged for union activity.

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Brown Sets Dates For Target Drills

Maj. Ernest W. Brown, superintendent of police, yesterday announced that pistol target practice will begin May 4 and continue daily thereafter until the entire Metropolitan Police force has fired.

The range, which will be the National Rifle Association's standard 25-yard pistol target, will be in charge of Lieut. John E. Fondahl, to whom all designated men will report.

Firing scores will be rated on the basis of 90, expert; 80, sharp shooter; and 65, marksman.

Any policeman who fails to qualify during the regular instruction must later do so at his own expense, Maj. Brown said.

Vedanta Group Here To Resume Meetings

With Swami Satprakashananda as their leader, members of the Vedanta Society will resume meetings at 3 p. m. tomorrow at the Grafton Hotel. The new swami recently arrived in the United States from India, where he was a student of philosophy and religion.

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Anti-Trust Suit Is Opened Against Aluminum Corporation

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with its general relaxing of anti-trust regulations, had changed the picture still further, with the result that a review of all aspects of the situation was deemed advisable.

The Attorney General said yesterday that action of the aluminum company on March 1 of this year in advancing the carlot price of virgin ingots was "the most recent act of oppressive and unreasonable price-fixing." He added that the boost was made "in the face of an increase in earnings from \$9,571,206 in 1935 to \$20,866,936 in 1936," which amounted, he said, to an increase in common stock earnings from 55 cents per share to \$8.65 per share "over and above the requirements for dividends on preferred stock."

The suit charges the company is a monopoly in violation of the anti-trust laws, and that it has power to fix arbitrary and discriminatory prices. The defendants are charged with "conspiracies to restrain and monopolize, attempts to monopolize and actual monopoly."

The company and its wholly-owned subsidiaries are said by the Government to manufacture 100 per cent of the virgin aluminum in the United States, sell more than 90 per cent of the aluminum sheet and virtually 100 per cent of such structural items as wire, cable and tubing made from aluminum.

In reply, C. C. Carr, for the company, said Federal and other statistics show it sells the hundreds of manufacturers of aluminum products "only about one-third of their requirements in aluminum ingot, their purchases from the scrap and foreign markets accounting for the major portion of their supply."

He said the company was "at a loss to understand why it has been singled out for further investigation in view of other inquiries which had, in its belief, cleared the company of any charges of monopolistic practices."

A company statement listed seven investigations and court actions that had been instituted against the concern. One investigation by the Federal Trade Commission, lasted approximately seven years "and thoroughly scrutinized every phase of the company's activities including alleged monopoly." It said the investigation resulted in a decision "clearing the company of all charges."

The government charges the company "has protected its American monopoly from foreign competition through a series of devices," including "the purchase of interest in raw materials and aluminum plants in European countries, for the alleged purpose of threatening foreign producers with destructive competition in world markets through the control of low cost producing facilities abroad." It charges also the company had entered into agreements with foreign producers restricting competition abroad, limiting production and allocating world markets.

The Government brief said Mellon, his son, Paul, and his daughter, Alita Mellon Bruce, "own a large proportion of all the company's capital stock, had also through their ownership of all the capital stock of the coal-seamed company, own a large proportion of the capital stock of Aluminum Limited, and thereby influence the policies and activities of Aluminum Co. and Aluminum Limited."

Carr's statement said the company "has thrown its influence" against price advances in contrast to general price increases of other materials, in spite of increase in wages and other costs of production, and despite the fact that it is engaged in a \$25,000,000 expansion program.

"All these capital investments must be paid for in the future," it said.

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Boys' Wash Long Pants

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Bill Would Ban Tidal Basin as Memorial Site

House Gets Measure as 2 Senators Join Fight for Cherry Trees.

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the relief program. Senator William E. Borah (Republican), of Idaho, said:

"If we want to manifest our sincere respect for the great political philosopher and humanitarian, Thomas Jefferson, we will not at this time attempt to build a \$3,000,000 to \$10,000,000 monument and at the same time manifest our good faith in the matter of economy."

King Opposes Scheme.

Off the floor, Senator William H. King (Democrat), of Utah, chairman of the District committee, emphatically voiced his opposition to the scheme on several counts. He criticized choice of the site, the design of the memorial itself, its total cost and the fact that the Boylan commission did not lay the proposal before the National Capital Park and Planning Commission and Fine Arts Commission before approving it.

King is an ex-officio member of the planning group, which last week sent a report to the Boylan unit embodying numerous recommendations as to land and landscaping treatment. The report has not been made public by Chairman John J. Boylan (Democrat), of New York.

The first witness to be heard by the Library Committee was Edgar Morris, retiring president of the Washington Board of Trade. In behalf of his organization, he filed a statement containing a four-point protest:

Opposition to use of the Tidal Basin site for a memorial is the result of its impairing or elimination of the lake's functions as a Washington Channel fishing area.

The charming informality of the basin area now is far preferable to the suggested formal layout.

The probable great cost of the project, as approved by the memorial commission, which "expenditure is unwise due to pressing financial requirements in other quarters" and since "there is a grave danger that the taxpayers of the District will be required to pay for the relocation of roads and relocation of parks to complete the plan. This phase is more expensive than erection of the building."

"Destruction of the cherry trees would be mourned from coast to coast. We do not believe it is well to anticipate saving or transplanting these trees according to present plans. It will obviously be impossible to save more than a handful, transplanting more than them is impossible and further inclusion of them around the new basin does not seem feasible."

Wearin Shows Letters.

Wearin, called next by the committee, produced numerous letters from protesters against the approved memorial design by John Russell Pope, demanded that the Boylan commission lay its records and copies of its proceedings before the committee and said his office has been flooded with criticisms of the memorial group's actions.

Keller, browsing through some papers on his desk, came across a memorandum stating that the Boylan commission had selected its architect (Pope) as far back as April 1, 1936, when the commission was presenting arguments before the Library Committee for favorable consideration of the bill giving it full powers to proceed on the project.

Therefore, said Keller, the Wearin resolution providing for an open competition is useless, since the commission already has selected the architect. He ruled, accordingly, that taking of testimony could not proceed until this point was cleared up definitely.

First, however, the committee heard Representative Byron N. Scott (Democrat), of California, who bitterly denounced the decision of the Boylan commission on the House floor on Jefferson's birthday, April 13.

Hearings will be resumed at 10 a. m. Tuesday.

Colladay Becomes Head of Board of Trade



Edmund F. Colladay, prominent lawyer and for many years Republican National Committeeman for the District, yesterday was elected president of the Board of Trade at a directors' meeting in the Mayflower Hotel. He has been first vice president during the last year, and succeeds Edgar Morris. Left to right, Francis G. Addison, first vice president; Colladay, Edgar Morris and James E. Collofflower, secretary.

G.O.P. Loses in Effort to Cut Farm Bill Cost; Democrats Promise 'General' Economy Move

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(Republican), Idaho, Borah said it is "almost a scandal to have the great cities and States trekking to Washington about every fortnight."

"If they would return home and trim down their own pay rolls and their own expenses they would come nearer to feeding the poor without coming to Washington for help," said the Idahoan. "I have no intention of doing anything to make people suffer. I think the President ought to be supported in his economy drive."

Borah said he agreed the relief fund should be held to \$1,500,000, and might consider the plan to cut it to \$1,000,000.

Dislikes Blanket Cut.

But Borah was not in accord with the Byrnes proposal to make horizontal 10 per cent cuts. He said a more "satisfactory approach" should be found; that some items could be cut more than 10 per cent and some should be left untouched. "That we have reached a crisis in taxes and expenditures must be conceded by all hands," Borah added. "We have either got to cut expenses, or be asked to enact a sales tax, which would be a crime, or lower exemptions on income taxes, which would be a blunder. I say a blunder because it would simply continue to diminish purchasing power of a large body of people, a thing from which we are already suffering."

Senator Frederick Hale, of Maine, ranking Republican member of the Senate Appropriations Committee, endorsed the Byrnes 10 per cent cut proposal, but took some exception to the South Carolinian's relief plan.

"I am highly in sympathy with Senator Byrnes' plan to make a 10 per cent cut in appropriations for the coming year," said the Maine Senator, "and I believe that with some provision for transfer of funds such an economy can and should be brought about."

Hale said he thought the remainder of the Byrnes proposal impracticable. He said the relief fund could be cut to \$1,000,000 if the Administration of relief funds were turned over to the States. He said he did not think the States should be required to pay 50 per cent of the cost of WPA in addition to sustaining the Federal tax burden for relief.

The \$227,000,000 agriculture bill approved by the House yesterday compared with \$783,000,000 appropriated last year. Taber had first tried his 10 per cent cut in committee unsuccessfully. As re-

ported, the measure showed a \$5,000,000 cut under budget estimates. The House vote thus was not in conflict with the President's request that appropriations be kept within his budget estimates.

All but one amendment to increase it on the floor were rejected. The successful amendment was sponsored by Representative Charles L. South (Democrat), of Texas, and added an item of \$23,348 for wool marketing studies.

Debate on the Republican 10 per cent horizontal cut simmered down to a verbal duel between Representative Taber and Representative Cannon, with both shouting to be heard above the clamor of members.

Taber claimed he was only urging the Democrats to "support the economy message of the President."

"If we are ever going to economize, it is time to begin," said the New York Republican. "If we never begin, we will never get anywhere. There is nothing in this bill that cannot stand a straight 10 per cent cut."

Cannon Retorts.

Cannon retorted that Taber had chosen funds needed to "rehabilitate farmers" as his first target.

"He proposes a method that is utterly impracticable," said Cannon. "He makes no proposal to economize on labor; no proposal to economize on industry, but he proposes to take it all out of the hide of the farmer."

Cannon claimed the Republican proposal would force the Secretary of Agriculture to violate contracts for payments he already had made with farmers.

"The gentleman comes in here and says that when the farmer has performed his part of the obligation, . . . then the Government will say to him, 'Why, that is just a scrap of paper.'"

Taber said he was not proposing

Guard Liberty, Publishers of America Urged

New Head of A. N. P. A. Says Press Is Trustee of Sacred Rights.

By the Associated Press.

New York, April 23.—The American Newspaper Publishers Association was admonished by its new president today that it "must protect and defend the liberties of a great people at all hazards."

James G. Stahlman, publisher of the Nashville (Tenn.) Banner, who at 44 is one of the youngest presidents the organization has had, was elected at the closing session of the golden jubilee convention.

He warned his hearers that "we, as publishers, cannot separate our business problems from our obligations as public servants."

"We must re-awaken to our great responsibility as trustees of the sacred rights of free people," Stahlman said in his acceptance speech.

John S. McCarrren, publisher of the Cleveland (Ohio) Plain Dealer, was elected vice president. E. H. Harris, of the Richmond (Ind.) Palladium-Item, was re-elected secretary, and Walter M. Dear, of the Jersey Journal, Jersey City, N. J., was re-elected treasurer.

Jerome D. Barnum, publisher of the Syracuse (N. Y.) Post-Standard, retiring president, was named to the board of directors to replace McCarrren. Barnum was presented with a silver plaque "for distinguished service" by 65 members of the New York State Publishers Association.

Five directors whose terms expired were re-elected. They were Norman Chandler, Los Angeles Times; Howard Davis, New York Herald Tribune; F. I. Ker, Hamilton (Ontario) Spectator; W. E. MacFarlane, Chicago Tribune, and Charles H. Taylor, Boston Globe.

Suitor of Girl, 14, Held in 'Kiss in The Dark' Slaying

Grayson, Ky., April 23 (AP)—The "kiss in the dark" death of a boy hitch-hiker known as Jimmy Scott puzzled authorities here today.

Who fired the revolver that ended his life while he was playing "post-office" in a darkened room with 14-year-old Stella Stevens remained a mystery. Eddie Romines, 20, who Coroner C. W. Henderson said was "a sort of jilted suitor," was held as a material witness.

The shooting occurred at the farm home of Drew Stevens, brickyard worker, near here. The plump, pretty farm girl said Romines entered the room in which she and Scott were kissing. She said a "scuffle" ensued, in which "all three of us had our hands on the pistol."

Miss Stevens asserted she thought she fired the gun, but that it was accidental. An examination of her hands revealed no powder burns, indicating she had not fired a gun recently.

Lecture Set Tomorrow.

Margaret Murney Glenn, Boston lecturer on Christian Science, will discuss "Christian Science: Humanity's Liberator," at 3:30 p. m. tomorrow in Constitution Hall. Mary G. Hornaday will introduce the speaker, who is appearing under the auspices of the four Churches of Christ, Scientists, in Washington.

Four Bridge Players Dealt Perfect Hands

Batavia, N. Y., April 23 (AP)—A bridge foursome, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Smith, Mrs. Frank A. Crehan and A. C. Capron, all received perfect hands in one deal last night. They called in an attorney, who took affidavits the hands were fairly and legally dealt.

Mrs. Smith, South, the dealer, bid seven diamonds. Mr. Smith, West, had to pass with his 13 clubs. Mrs. Crehan, North, bid seven hearts, and Mr. Capron, East, copped the bid with seven spades.

\$2,000 Is Awarded Roberta Semple in Suit for Slander

Los Angeles, April 23 (AP)—

Roberta Semple was awarded \$2,000 damages today in her \$150,000 slander suit against Willedd Andrews, attorney for her estranged mother, Aimee Semple McPherson, and counsel for Angelus Temple.

Superior Judge Clarence L. Kincaid made the award after Mrs. Semple, sobbing convulsively, was led from court.

He ruled Roberta should receive \$1,000 on her charge that Andrews made a statement accusing her of threatening, intimidating, coercing and blackmailing her mother, and \$1,000 on her allegation that Andrews repeated the statement, to other newspapermen, omitting the word "blackmail."

Newspaper's Duty To Public Stressed

Newspapers today must devote themselves to the best interests of their communities and give to their readers full coverage of history in the making, without color or partiality, S. H. Kauffmann, assistant business manager of the Evening Star, told the Advertising Club of Washington at the Willard last night.

Kauffmann took as his topic "Responsibility of a Newspaper for the Advertising It Accepts." Guests at the meeting included R. H. Burns, editor and publisher of several California weeklies, and M. C. Maxwell, an advertising man from Seattle.

Boy Held With Gems Believed New Yorker

A 16-year-old youth, arrested here Thursday for investigation after he had tried to sell jewelry valued at \$1,800, is believed to be wanted by New York police as a missing person, who vanished from his Brooklyn home with gems belonging to his stepbrother.

Burglars Loot Home Of Jewelry, Clothing

Leon Brill, Jr., of 1329 Spring road northwest, president of the Bell Cab Association, reported to police yesterday that his home had been entered and property valued at \$519 stolen.

Entering through the kitchen window early yesterday burglars cut telephone wires and used paper matches to find their way about the house.

U. S. Navy Begins 'Attack' on Hawaii By Ships, Planes

Honolulu, April 23.—(AP)—The United States Navy today began an "attack" on the Hawaiian Islands with an armada of 111 ships and more than 400 fighting planes.

Scouting aircraft from an airplane carrier flew over Hilo, preparatory to "capture" of the city by nine warships which defense forces sighted 8 miles off the coast.

National Guard forces theoretically abandoned the Hilo Airport an hour before the "bombardment," apparently having been informed by defending surface vessels of the impending attack.

Against the huge attacking force, 20,000 fighting men on the islands made ready for the bloodiest battle. Planes, submarines and minelayers supplemented the defense force, the backbone of which was the Regular Army contingent in Hawaii.

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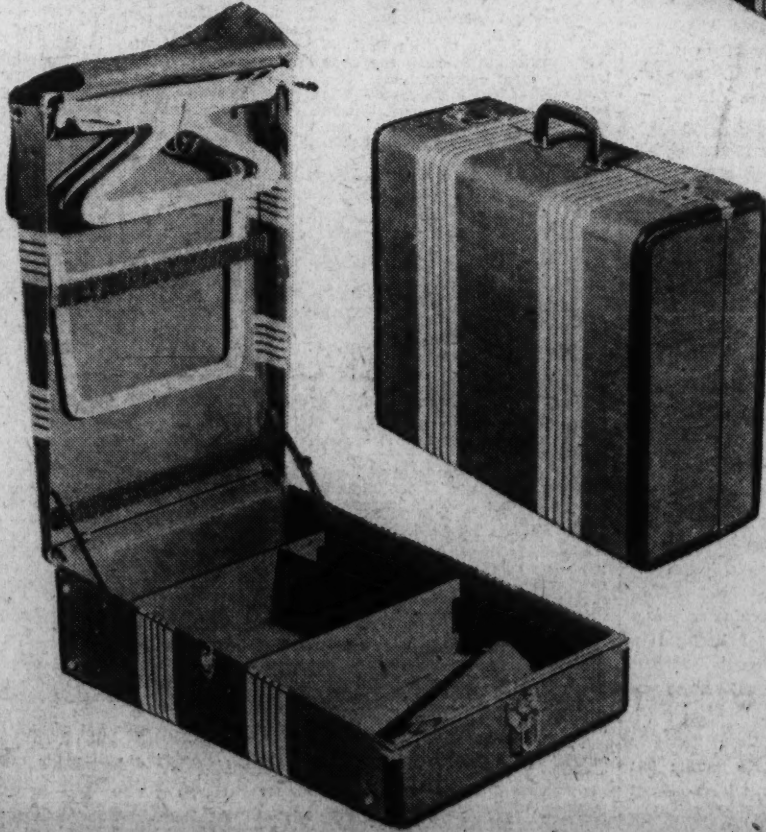
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In its report for 1935-1937, just issued, the Foreign Policy Association points with justifiable pride to the fact that its membership now is the largest in its history. On April 1 it counted 14,758 members divided among 17 widely distributed branches.

This is a matter for general gratification. A membership which is both extensive and select represents a widening interest in the enormously important problems that confront the world of nations. And, as the association grows, it is able to increase a usefulness which has already been amply attested.

At no time has there been greater need in this country of an informed and unprejudiced public opinion on the major factors affecting international relations. Not since the end of the World War has an uncritical isolationism been as prevalent as now. Yet it is an inescapable fact that we are part and parcel of the world and compelled, willy nilly, to share its collective destiny. To understand what is taking place around us is no mere amateur interest for Americans. It is a paramount duty of good citizenship.

In the interests of such needed enlightenment the Foreign Policy Association has worked valiantly, intelligently and constructively. Only a small part of its labors has gone into organizing public meetings for discussions and debates on contemporary world events. Were that all its influence would have been more limited. But through its thorough research activities, its various publications and its international contacts the organization has rendered educational service of far-reaching value. Viewing the world scene with objectivity and describing it with clarity the Foreign Policy Association is doing an important task with a high degree of skill.

Not Merely Collegiate.

Collegiate Washington gave a feeble response to the call for a fourth annual "peace strike." The few students who turned out to demonstrate against war found themselves busy for the most part fighting off the ridicule of on-lookers. It is possible, however, that the reflection is as much on the local institutions as on the movement.

In many of the Nation's outstanding universities, where the authorities had no qualms over a free assembly of students, the demonstration proved an impressive affair. The movement has grown perceptibly in four years. Its leadership, moreover, seems to be gaining in dignity, intelligence and restraint.

This serious interest of college students in the problems of life outside their cloisters is a thoroughly healthy phenomenon. Even a few years ago little of it was to be found on any American campus. But today "smokers" and mandolin clubs seem to be giving way to earnest debates and thoughtful discussions. Particular aspects of this interest may be adolescent, but by and large it indicates a healthy stimulation inside many a head on which the responsibilities of tomorrow's intricate world will rest. It is a happy omen when thinking replaces drinking as a significant activity outside of the curriculum.

Extra Coolness.

The arguments advanced to support Representative Sacks' bill proposing daylight saving time for the District skip lightly over its chief virtue. The point is made that a 60-minute advance of all clocks during the summer months would give the community a desirable extra hour of daylight after work which might be spent on gardening, golf or general gadding. The principal recommendation for the plan in Washington, however, is not the added afternoon sunshine to result from it but the extra morning coolness.

Principal opposition to the bill will presumably come from the farmers and dairymen serving the city. Their herds and crops will continue to follow the sun's time regardless of man's wishes. They may suggest that any one wanting cool morning hours in which to doport himself can get out of bed earlier. This sounds reasonable enough, but in practice, as all the world will testify, it does not work. Gregarious as he is, man wants company in his every move. Only if the rest of the world is up and about in the early morning hours will he venture to do likewise, no matter how

inviting a dewy golf course or dripping vines along quiet trails.

Many large cities, not only in this country but also abroad, last week lost an hour's sleep when daylight saving went into effect. The loss will be made up in October when the regular time is restored. Next April, if Mr. Sacks' bill obtains the attention it deserves, Washington will join this group. If Congress stays in session as far into the sweltering summer as it now bids fair to do, there should be small doubt about its passage.

Up To Congress.

A speedy balancing of the Federal budget presents no insuperable difficulties, if Congress will respond to the appeal contained in the President's recent budget message. That appeal would have carried more weight if it had been accompanied by recommendations for specific economies. Nevertheless, the message unequivocally disproved all increases in expenditures, for existing or for new activities, unless covered by revenue.

During the first years of the New Deal Congress supinely abdicated its right to control public outlays. Spending plans originating in the executive departments were approved with little or no legislative scrutiny. Now the Administration is no longer urging Congress to spend in order to prime the recovery pump. Instead, it is trying to curb the squandering proclivities which have been so successfully stimulated. Consequently, Congress cannot escape responsibility for future heedless spending.

Regardless of the merit of individual projects, the Government must now resolutely keep expenditures within the limits of current revenues. Even intrinsically desirable measures should be ruthlessly rejected if funds to finance them are not in hand. The emphasis which the President placed upon this point in his message was very timely. Researches made by Representative Lammack reveal that 24 bills already introduced into this Congress together carry appropriations of over \$16,245,000,000. This sum is well over twice the current budget estimates, lavish though they are. Such slapdash indifference to budgetary procedure would be disastrous in any private business, and unless checked will prove equally fatal in the vital business of governing the United States.

If all the separate spending projects now under consideration were brought together in one huge omnibus appropriation bill, few if any Congressmen would be so reckless as to vote for it. But deficits in the up-shot equally menacing are insidiously created by piecemeal approval of isolated spending projects which have not run the gauntlet of budgetary examination.

A case in point is passage by the House of the bill authorizing advances to the States for control of water pollution. The purpose of this bill is admirable, the proposal would be of distinct benefit to health and pleasure, and the designated annual outlay is very small. Nevertheless, it is an unbudgeted item and as such should not have been approved. In the last analysis no project can be called socially desirable if it rests on an unsound fiscal basis.

To make an economy rule effective, it must be rigidly enforced. When an unbudgeted sum is voted to control stream pollution, it becomes easier to approve other unbudgeted items of a less desirable character. Indeed, it will be impossible to carry through any retrenchment program unless a firm and even arbitrary stand is taken against creating precedents of this character. Secretary Wallace's prompt abandonment of crop insurance, tenant-aid and other farm-relief projects is an example of self-discipline that should stiffen Congressional resolve to economize, even at the sacrifice of cherished and laudable plans.

Assuming that appropriations are held rigidly to the amounts specified in the budget for the coming year, the estimated deficit will still exceed \$400,000,000, and that without allowance for debt reduction. It is definitely alarming that this should be the case when revenues are expected to approach record-breaking totals. It is a black outlook if the Administration cannot even halt the rise in the national debt at a time when the country as a whole is obviously prosperous.

To eliminate the deficit, new outlays must be avoided and those already budgeted must be pruned. The only alternative to this procedure is to vote new taxes, to be added to an already burdensome tax load. Otherwise, the critical position of the Federal finances is certain to become steadily worse.

A government which cannot live within its income is not a government in which an intelligent person can have either pride or confidence. It is now up to Congress to decide whether or not the Administration's stand for economy shall become effective. And the responsibility is one which can be dodged no longer.

No Tears Shed.

Peace has its unpleasantnesses no less than war.

During recent years, as the fever chart of international tensions has shown a steadily rising curve, one element has been able to view the situation with considerable aplomb. The prevailing madness, manifesting itself, among other ways, in a suicidal race in armaments, has been a great boon to the munitions industries everywhere in the world. Directors of such companies have been in a position to report to their stockholders steadily increasing profits and ever-larger dividends.

Of late, however, the world situation has

been undergoing a change. There is now a possibility that peace, not war, may break out. Statesmen, even of nations steeped in war psychology, are showing an inclination to climb aboard the olive-branch-bedecked band wagon and to be photographed with doves.

To the great majority of mankind this is all to the good. But good news is bad news for those whose business it is to serve as purveyors to Mars. Thus, on the heels of reports of peaceful developments in the international situation, Skoda shares dropped 300 points on the Prague exchange and other Czech armament shares also went into nose dives.

Apparently it's a good wind that blows nobody any ill. But the sorry plight of Skoda and its rivals will be taken by the world philosophically. There will be no tears shed. Besides there is a rising market for pruning hooks.

To Restore Local Government.

Members of Congress are seriously discussing plans for reducing the 1938 relief appropriation. But a mere refusal to vote the \$1,500,000,000 requested by the President would mean little. Mr. Hopkins might even spend with less than his habitual thought for the future if he could count upon a deficiency appropriation to make good an initially reduced allowance. The only way to translate paper cuts in relief outlays into actual savings is to revise relief policies.

At the end of March over 2,000,000 persons were still on WPA rolls and the expenses of the organization for that month totaled approximately \$170,000,000. Making every allowance for the effects of improving employment conditions, it is still probable that a reduction of the relief appropriation to \$1,000,000,000 would work hardship on many of those least equipped to bear it. To avert this two possibilities have been suggested. One is a change from the work-relief system to payments based upon the degree of need of the unemployed. The other is insistence that the State governments match Federal contributions to the full extent of their ability.

Work-relief is admittedly the most costly method of combating unemployment. The arguments in favor of the system are very strong, however, provided the additional expense can be borne without breaking down national financial stability. But when, as in this country today, there is imperative need for balancing the budget to preserve the public credit, advocates of work-relief are put distinctly on the defensive.

The proposal to compel at least the wealthier State and local governments to match WPA expenditures would lighten Federal relief costs by shifting part of the burden. It would also indirectly help to cut total relief outlays. So long as the central Government defrays virtually the entire cost of the work-relief system, localities have no feeling of responsibility for economy. Indeed, they soon become eager for the Federal Government to expand the scale of its activities, regardless of the far-reaching effects of such policy. So soon as the localities are compelled to defray a substantial proportion of the cost of work-relief, they will be concerned to avoid needless and wasteful outlays.

Quite apart from the high cost of the WPA, it has a demoralizing political influence which is steadily undermining responsible local self-government. This is demonstrated by the way in which any resolute effort to cut Federal relief outlays promptly evokes frenzied protests from local officials reluctant to reassume the onerous duties that are properly their concern. A time when business is improving and employment rising is the logical moment to move toward that emphasis on local responsibility which is the basis of a healthy democracy.

Seventh Heaven On Wheels.

What James Hilton did for airplanes and Claudette Colbert accomplished for buses now remains to be done for trailers. Not that these homes on wheels aren't wholly capable of running full tilt under their own steam. But up to now the manufacturers have emphasized only their utility. The romantic side has been utterly neglected in the balmyhoo for comfort and compactness. At long last, however, love is coming into the lives of trailer-dwellers.

Samuel Goldwyn recently announced his intention of making a movie of these vehicle villages. As it was once Katharine Mansfield's idea that a great story could be written about a cross-country train, so it is Mr. Goldwyn's belief that, for sheer drama, covered wagons had nothing on trailers.

Trailer manufacturers should be grateful to Hollywood for adding this fresh note to their sales talk. For in their spial about cooking kits, cozy cots and comfy campfires, they will soon be able to add, "and it's love that makes the wheels go round."

Many are of the opinion that the President should have included in his 1936 platform the plank he planned to make the Supreme Court justices walk.

In a magazine article concerning an Army officer it is stated, "He never hesitates a moment when his own personal safety is involved." For that matter, neither do we.

"A man needs \$1,000 before he gets married."—Chicago News. No doubt; but not anything like as much as he needs it after he gets married.



They'll Come To Live With Us!

Letters to the Editor

English In Puerto Rico.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Permit me to make several comments on a letter, signed "Fides," which was printed in The Post of April 19, regarding the "Teaching of English in Puerto Rico," particularly referring to the President's letter in which he expresses the desire that "the coming generation (of Puerto Rico) should grow up with complete facility in the English tongue."

No one objects to the inhabitants of Puerto Rico speaking French and English (to whom "Fides" referred), and no one ought to object to the Puerto Ricans speaking both Spanish and English. The President has done a very great service to the people of Puerto Rico in recommending to the commissioner of education, Dr. Gallardo, the emphasizing and extending of the English language in the schools of Puerto Rico.

I was surprised to read what "Fides" ventured to say: that he heard the Puerto Ricans admonished to be more careful in their speech "lest their Castilian be corrupted by Americanisms." It is an undeniable fact that, since English has been taught in our schools, not only thousands of Puerto Ricans can speak English, but, today, they speak much better Spanish than in the past. Spanish is spoken everywhere in the island; let us have English spoken as well.

Regarding the so-called corruption of Castilian, that obtains even in Spain where in the 48 provinces Catalan, Andalus, Gallego, Vizcaino and other dialects are spoken, according to their peculiarities and localisms.

The Spanish people do not even dream of ever becoming masters of their language, like Cervantes, Castelar, Nunez de Arce, Salmeron, Pi y Magall and Fernando de los Rios. The people at large, although keeping their Latin culture, speak Spanish in a general way, according to their education, just as English is spoken in England, Ireland, Canada or the United States.

The knowledge of English for Puerto Ricans is a means of practical defense and union with the mainland; a means, as the President has said, of preparing our masses to meet the great economic, social and human problems of the future. And that is of the greatest importance to the people.

SANTIAGO IGLESIAS, Resident Commissioner for Puerto Rico, Washington, April 22.

The Cherry Trees.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Your campaign to save the cherry trees is most commendable. If all Washington residents would show some backbone and protest this outrage in destroying one of the most beautiful parts of this city it would not take place.

If the money for a memorial must

All communications must carry the writer's name and address, though pen names are permitted at the Editor's discretion. In fairness to other correspondents, brevity is requested. Letters are subject to condensation.

He spent, why not use it for building an artificial lake nearby Washington and calling it the Thomas Jefferson Lake? It would give the thousands of Washingtonians, that cannot leave the city in the summer, a chance to escape the scorching heat and enjoy the benefit of its cooling waters.

DOROTHY DORE, Washington, April 21.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The letter in The Post of April 22 by Julia Kennon Walker is the only really sensible letter that has appeared on that subject. Think of stressing anything as feeble as cherry blossoms against that beautiful monument in the world with such a beautiful setting among the replanted and additional cherry trees. Make your readers

Washington, April 22.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: After reading a reprint in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch of your editorial denouncing the Jefferson Memorial Commission's plan I want to register my protest against the wasteful plan.

Can't you start a protest movement in all the large cities of the country through their newspapers so that public opinion can be aroused? DITTO CARPENTER, St. Louis, Mo., April 19.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I think that I shall never find a shrine so beautifully designed with all technicality, it's better than a cherry tree. Shrines and monuments don't bloom: They're silent as a dead one's tomb; they do not swing every breeze. So, like Joyce Kilmer, I love trees.

MICHAEL HOEKSTRA, Washington, April 20.

From A Tax Dodger.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Your editorial on the personal tax was a lipload in any language. Don't bounce it out the window after one mention. Pile on more till the matter dents the skulls of public officials. Ditto the bureaucrats of Congress who claim themselves competent to dabble in District affairs, when collection of something to spend in their election districts is at stake. Common sense got rained out when they passed that law.

The glaring weaknesses and some simple remedies were pointed out. Many subsisting on nondivi-

dend stocks and cracked mortgages, who haven't yet developed the "relief" complex, clutter the books. To mulct these unfortunates is simply genteel burglary.

The waiting list that lines up at banks before July 1 to move cash to deposit boxes till after the deadline is a fragrant tribute to the present law. Under the 3-mills tax I paid, not too sourly, 30 to 50 bucks annually. Since, nary a peseta. My dodge was to pay off loans before July 1, renew them just after. Results of the District's snooper into probate and inheritance cases should further illuminate the farce of the present system, but unfortunately doesn't.

Return to the 3-mills rate and exemption to the needy propertied is long past due, instead of limping along the present rut. This subject which concerns many, is as good a one to have a campaign about as traffic slaughter or cherry blossoms. TAX DODGER, Mount Rainier, Md., April 23.

Mr. Whitwell's Service.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: My attention was recently called in your columns to the termination of service upon the part of two members of the school board. It is my good fortune to have a personal acquaintance with one of those members, and to have been in a position to appreciate the work that he has done. The self-sacrificing public service of such men should not pass unregarded.

Mr. George M. Whitwell's splendid stand against political interference in the affairs of the school board has been a real boon to the cause of public education. At great sacrifice to himself in the matter of time and health he has given himself to the welfare of the youth in this city, and I take pleasure in voicing the sentiments of gratitude that I know are in many hearts. ALBERT JOSEPH MCARTNEY, Washington, April 21.

The National Debt.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: How much longer will the unthinkable masses smilingly swallow the "political pap" which is still being dished out in regard to balancing the budget and the assurance that "we will make things meet" either next year or year after next. Who remembers the ancient admonition, "Never put off till tomorrow what can be done today?"

Since President Roosevelt entered office, promises have been made and repeatedly broken. And all the while the national debt continues its upward spiral, until today it stands at the most menacing level in history.

Back in the horse and buggy days, it was taken for granted that neither men nor groups of men, could borrow or waste their way out of trouble. Why not adopt this proven principle today before it is too late? E. K. G., Washington, April 22.

Genius In Exile.

Exile may be good for creative genius. A man steeped in a civilization that he has known from childhood seems often to get a clearer and sharper picture of it once he is removed from close contact with its daily routine. Furthermore, if he leaves on compulsion some strange perversion of human nature makes him love even more intensely the scenes and the people who are denied him. It is likely also to set him thinking more deeply than ever before.

If this is so, not only Thomas Mann, but many other German, Italian, Spanish and Russian men of letters may now be expected to write of their native lands in poignant terms. Unfortunately, some of them, especially the less well known, are struggling too hard to exist to have time for creative effort, and others feel too much lost and discouraged to pull themselves out of defeat. Exile is no sure recipe for the production of works of art, and everyone loses when great nations disperse their great men. (Hartford Courant.)

The Post Impressionist

QUITE recently a middle-aged woman came to my apartment door and before I could utter a word of protest thrust into my hands a cardboard box and a sheaf of printed matter. Taken unawares, as I was, there seemed nothing to do but evince a polite interest while I wrestled mentally for words which would at once be tempered yet sufficiently firm to announce definitely my refusal to buy.

The woman, however, never lifted her eyes to meet mine. Nor did she give me time for protest. Instead, she reeled off a sales talk which doubtless she had learned by rote, and which revealed to me the sum total of nothing. Her words ran together like raindrops in a butter-pipe; her voice, an evenly keyed sing-songy one, was entirely devoid of emphasis or stress. Having completed her obviously difficult oration, she said, with apparent relief, "Give those to the lady of the house," and took her departure.

The incident set me to thinking about salesmanship. I found myself wondering whether the woman's approach had been the result of a studied program; a program evolved by a high-powered advertising executive who knew the psychological effects to be gained by this method of house to house free distribution. Or, was this particular agent just a misfit who had managed somehow to gain a place on the crew?

This led to a recollection of the time when I essayed to be a super-salesman. While floundering around in search of work I answered an advertisement for salesmen. The prospective job proved to be with a correspondence school selling courses. Before being considered for staff membership one was required to spend a week of instruction under the supervision of a super-high-powered salesman-lecturer. He proved to be just that.

At least 20 of us heard him. We sat enthralled while he revealed to us, step by step, the art (and I mean art) of convincing the other fellow that he not only needed, but actually couldn't do without, the course being offered him, and on such generous terms. At the conclusion of the third lecture I was no longer a salesman in embryo; I was the company's best prospect.

I recall distinctly one of his most impressive oral flights. It had to do with the word "selling," its true meaning as seen from an advertising man's viewpoint. Everyone, he said, was a salesman, because every living person sold many, many things each day, no matter what their occupations, or even if they had no occupation. If they didn't sell material things, he stressed, then they "sold" themselves.

When eventually I had completed the course of lectures, I felt fully capable of selling, and at one sitting, the Brooklyn Bridge or the Flatiron Building to anyone who would listen to my blurb.

It was, then, in this mental state that, armed with a briefcase crammed with literature, I ventured forth into the Baltimore territory to better the business prospects of hundreds of ambitious men and women.

My first prospect lived in the suburbs. It was summer and the day was hot, but even this condition and a long walk from the car line to my destination, failed to dampen my ardor. I rang the bell briskly. A young man appeared. I told him I was seeking Mr. So-and-so, Jr. He proved to be this very person. I revealed the nature of my business and suggested we sit on the porch swing for a talk. We did.

As per instructions, I took occasion now to study my prospect. He was a slender youth and not particularly healthy looking. He was obviously abashed. His hands began fumbling each other distressingly. I decided he was easily persuaded. Gulping a deep breath I launched into my set speech, but with slightly more fervor and clearness than had my lady caller, I hope.

The longer I talked, the more nervous became my client. I wound up in a convincing crescendo, pen in one hand, a subscription blank in the other, also as per instructions.

It was at this precise moment the play was taken from me. I couldn't avoid it—he seemed so pitiful. He hadn't expected a personal visit as a result of his request for information, he told me—only literature. His father, for whom he worked, was definitely opposed to his taking the course. He wouldn't for the world want him to know that he, the son, had written to my company. The father, he said, squirming about on the swing seat, was expected home at any moment.

He walked with me toward the car line. I questioned on personal matters. He was only 18, too young to sign a contract. His father wouldn't, for him. An easy way out for me.

He was an apprentice in his father's shop, he said. His pay was practically nothing. Not enough to supply him with pocket money. He had been waiting for his father when I arrived. He had promised to take his girl to the movies, but didn't have the money. If his father was in good humor, which was rare, he might be able to touch him for enough.

I was greatly pleased to find that I had two quarters in my pocket. ROBERT HAROLD MAY.

Fair Enough

By
Westbrook Pegler
Hilarious Justice.

Sarasota.
MRS. MAE HALL has been sentenced to prison for life for perjury in one of the most hilarious proceedings ever enacted by the knockout comic of the American court system.

She lives in a Florida cattle town called Arcadia, back near Lake Okechobee, where she runs a little sandwich joint and dance hall of a type locally known as a "jook."

At present she is free on bail, and nobody seems disturbed about her case—least of all, Mrs. Hall—because she will not have to serve the term. They are very informal about such things in Florida, and the people take a rather mischievous pride in the fact that nobody ever has served more than 14 years on any sentence, although many are given life by the courts.

Glades County, where Mrs. Hall lives, is even more haphazard about justice than the rest of the State, for Glades is part of a great cattle range whose existence is known to very few people in the country at large and unsuspected by many old residents of Florida.

The cattle are scrappy scrubs which roam over an area of hundreds of square miles, and the cowboys, mostly descendants of tough pioneer Crackers from Georgia and Alabama, affect all the regalia of the Western or circus cowhand, except the hair pants, and they wear ten-gallon hats, high-heeled boots, and overalls; they sleep under the stars, and many of them go armed, for cattle rustling is a minor industry of the region, and shooting is by no means uncommon. The Florida cattle range is a throwback to the old West, and it was a shooting which led to Mrs. Hall's little trouble with the law.

THERE HAD BEEN considerable annoyance over cattle rustling back in the winter of 1933, and one day in February of that year three men were shot dead as they drove along a side road in a flivver. Two of the victims were reported to be cattle thieves, but the third was just a casual visitor from Alabama. Nothing was done about the matter until more than two years had passed, and even then it was only a political fight which caused an investigation.

Four men were then indicted for the murders, and one of them was arrested in the State prison, where he was doing life for killing a man who had refused to give him a shove when the battery of his car died on the road.

Also, in the meantime, Mae Hall's husband, Obe, a cowboy who had retired from the range to run the jook, had been sentenced to life for killing Bill Dyer. The whole country had fixed opinions on the killing of the two rustlers and the innocent visitor from Alabama, so the trial was held in Sarasota, most of whose people knew nothing of the Florida cattle country, although it lies within an hour's drive of the city. Parker Mansfield, the one who killed the man for refusing to shove his car, was acquitted on the triple killing, and the jury hung up on the three other defendants.

IN THIS TRIAL Mae Hall testified that Squash Ford and Gus Harris, two of the defendants, came into her jook before the murders and said they were going to kill some cattle thieves and came in afterward to say they had done so much.

In the second trial Mrs. Hall took it all back and denied that she had ever heard anyone threaten to do any killing or boast of having done so. And when challenged for changing her story, she said the sheriff kept her drunk for weeks and threatened to send her to prison, where her husband was doing life, if she didn't testify against the boys.

This change broke up the prosecution, and Mrs. Hall was now indicted for perjury and, after an amusing trial, given life sentence, which now hangs lightly over her head. The net result of three murders on the range was a life term for a witness on the perjury charge, and that is where the matter stands now, although it should be remembered that Mrs. Hall stands in no danger of going away for long, if at all.

They are a light-hearted lot over in Glades County, much given to casual killings, and the idea of anyone's being sent away for telling a few lies one way or another seems preposterous, even though the judge did say that Mrs. Hall did very wrong in jeopardizing the lives of four innocent men that way.

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The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

"Is My Crown on Straight?"

(London, April 23.—Late Queen Elizabeth has been seen going about Buckingham Palace in the morning wearing a crown. She is accustomed herself to the feel of the resplendent diamond-studded piece of headgear that she must balance atop her black hair for several hours during the coronation. The crown is not the real one, but is of the same weight and form.—News item.)

King George—I say, Elizabeth, stop going about the house with that load on your head, will you?

Queen Elizabeth—Don't think I'm doing it for pleasure. I'm getting the feel of it.

King—Skull practice, eh, what?

Queen—And it's mighty uncomfortable, if you want to know.

King—You'll drop it if you keep going about with it on like that.

Queen—I'll drop it if I do!

King—You don't wear it right. It's all askew.

Queen—They're wearing 'em that way this season.

King—Tilt it forward a little. You've a few forehead, you know.

Queen—I suppose you want me to look funny.

King—I'm just trying to tell you what's becoming.

Queen—Please, dear, this is my crown and I'll wear it my own way.

King—All right. If you want to be stubborn, it's your business.

Queen—Incidentally, it might not be a bad idea for you to do a little practicing to make sure you don't make yourself ridiculous.

King—I don't need any practice.

Queen—Indeed?

King—Oh now, queenie, I don't mean it that way. What I mean is that I've had lots of practice. I used to wear dad's crown.

Queen—You did?

King—The boys all used to try it on. . . when we wasn't looking, of course. It was quite amusing.

Queen—But during the coronation, we mustn't be amusing, you know. You really ought to put it on now and then. How do you know it fits?

King—It always did fit me okay.

Queen—Yes, but your head is much bigger now.

King—Is that a dirty dig or not?

Queen—Mine is much too tight.

King—Why don't you have it stretched?

Queen—I hate to take it out to have it stretched. You know how those places are. They always want to reshape it, too.

King (as the Queen kneels and goes through some stately gestures)—What on earth are you doing now?

Queen—Kneeling with this thing on your head is the hardest part of all. I've got to get used to it. Suppose it fell off at Westminster?

King—There you go making me nervous again!

Queen—Making you nervous? What do you suppose you're making me?

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Wane Of Europe's Dictatorships

Hope For Democracy
Seen In Shifting
Diplomacies.

By David Wills

Special Correspondence of The Post.

London.

THE ANTICIPATED crystallization of pro-Fascist and pro-Communist elements in all European nations has not arrived. The poles of attraction have not proved strong enough to condition the whole of the European field, Europe is in a state of change. New conditions are in the making, and it may be that the dictatorships are on the wane. This is a hope, not an expectation.

France, it is believed here, will not be able to win the hasn't material or unity of purpose among its associates to gain anything but local victories. But according even to many sympathizers neither will the government be able to win except locally. The government has been able to prevent a Franco victory so far through the services of the International Column, but that force is already wiped out, and further fighting must be done by the new Spanish Peoples' Army. That army and the government's material may be adequate for victory, but there is as much disorganization behind the scenes on the government side as on the rebel. It may be, therefore, that prevention of foreign intervention may lead to a stalemate in Spain, and perhaps to an armistice between the fighting generals, after which their armies will disintegrate.

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Strength of Blum
Disappoints Germany.

EQUALLY DISAPPOINTING for Nazi ambitions has been the strength of the Blum government. France has not been infected with the disease of civil war. Blum is solidly in power, there has been talk of a possible reorganization of his political support, of a slight shift to the right and elimination of the Communists. But this is extremely improbable, despite the responsibility of the Communists for the Clichy riots. The Communists must support Blum to maintain such political life as they have; they have no value to a right wing movement. And the radicals, who might like to rid themselves of the Communist bedfellows in the Blum coalition, could only do so at the cost of losing their own influence in an alliance which excluded Socialists as well as Communists, included everything to their own right. The radicals must prefer their present position. The Senate can obstruct to the point of forcing an election if it wishes, but it is certain that M. Blum would increase his electoral majority in another election.

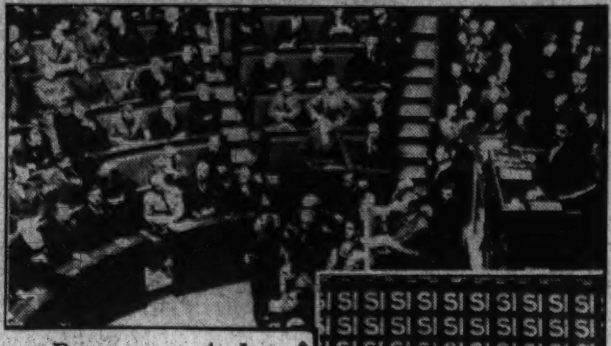
For the present France has surmounted her financial difficulties. The defense loan was highly successful and some French capital has returned from the foreign junk holes. Not even the Clichy riots reversed the inward flow. The "new deal" is going slow at present, but the trade unions appreciate the reasons which make this necessary. Probably no French government since the war has been as solidly seated as M. Blum's. It is a sign of that strength that he was not thrown out of power when the police fired on and killed some of his supporters.

Alternative Destiny
Suggested For Hitler.

GERMANY has realized Blum's strength, and in Spain, puts no great value on Italian support; Ribbentrop has not sold Nazism to the British. Poland is cutting up rough over the Nazification of Danzig. It is believed in Paris at any rate, that Hitler has learned not to start any trouble in Czechoslovakia. There are slight signs that Germany is groping for an alternative route toward her destiny. It is suggested, for example, that there may be a complete reversal of the Nazi antagonism toward Russia. An alliance between Germany, Russia, China and Japan, stretching across the Eurasian continent, dominating the world! Here might be a prospect glorious enough for German ambitions.

Germany's hatred for Russia is a recent sentiment, introduced by Hitler. M. Barthou's first objective in starting negotiations with Russia which led up to the Franco-Soviet pact was to prevent a Soviet-German alliance. The Red army and the Reichswehr are red army and respect each other's abilities, favor alliance rather than conflict. And just as Russia is not a completely reliable ally for France so France may not be as solid an ally for Russia as the Franco-Soviet pact would suggest.

France has been called a satellite of the British Empire; certainly Blum's main aim is to secure Franco-British solidarity, and if Britain so demanded France would probably choose to give up her



Democracy And Dictatorship

Leon Blum, Premier of France, (above) addressing the Chamber of Deputies. Poster (right) for campaign in which 400 of Mussolini's deputies were unanimously elected.

Soviet alliance rather than lose the well. Russia knows this well, and doubtless is prepared for an alternative course should her negotiations with Paris break down. The idea of a German alliance is not anathema to her. Some observers even maintain that Stalin would go so far as to give up the Ukraine in return for a solid alliance with Germany. Even apart from this exaggeration, a Russo-German alliance is by no means an absurd suggestion from either German or Russian angles.

Danube Basin Shows
Signs Of Realigning.

JUST AS Germany may be groping toward a reorientation of her policies so there is a change in sentiment in the Danube basin. The pact between Italy and Yugoslavia seems to signal at least a temporary end to Italian ambitions on the Dalmatian coast. No secret was the pact signed that Dr. Benes, of Czechoslovakia, was in the Yugoslav capital to reaffirm the solidarity of the Little Entente. Prince Paul is to return the visit. The pact with Italy is not to mean the securing of Yugoslavia from her post-war allies.

Because Italy has talked revision of boundaries Hungary has been an Italian protegee. But it has become clear to the present Hungarian rulers that Italy means only revision to her own advantage, and will never go out of her way to support Hungary's revision. Hungary could turn to Germany but Hungary has a large German minority which she treats none too well, and an alliance with Germany might mean her own elimination. She has recently had a first hand experience of an attempted Nazi push.

So Hungary, almost against her will, wonders whether it might not pay her to forget past quarrels and look for peace in a Danubian alliance. Strong support for this program would come at present from Austria, which is also dissatisfied with both Germany and Italy. Behind Austria would stand the Roman Church and the Pope. For in a Catholic Danubian federation the church might find a fertile field, strong enough to withstand Nazi paganism and Communist atheism which the Roman Church lets overshadow the Danubian states while they remain divided and feeble.

Even Italy may soon be groping for a new policy. Abyssinia is not pacified; the massacre of the Abyssinian population of Addis Ababa has not endeared the Italians to the Abyssinians; the defeat of the Italians in Spain has dismayed Mussolini who had anticipated nothing but victory. The push ahead with his original Spanish plans may



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mean war with France; to retreat means personal humiliation. It is reported that criticism of Mussolini is no longer hidden in Italy.

Democratic Countries
No Longer Shrink In Fear.

FOR THE MOMENT the dictators and their economic and social systems are on the wane. The democratic countries have answered dictatorial bombast in the past by shrinking into their bunk-holes. Pressure is being applied in all directions, and to reaffirm the principles of democratic liberalism. A powerful blow for that cause would be given if Britain would now openly express her support of democracy, her opposition to dictatorial aggression. But Britain, or at least the British government, is not ready to strike such a blow at the moment. It is to reduce barriers to international trade. Even so mild an action receives but lukewarm support in our official circles. Pressure is being applied in all directions, and to reaffirm the principles of democratic liberalism.

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The center of the forces urging the democratic countries to make an attack upon the conditions which breed dictatorship is London. London is reluctant to be persuaded. Let others do good works first, and surely we will follow. Blocking our way are the Ottawa agreements, which will be discussed at the Imperial Conference in May. We plead Ottawa as an excuse for delay, although we are ourselves among the least willing members of the empire to see any change in the Ottawa system.

After the coronation; after Mr. Baldwin has resigned; after while we may make up our minds. HAD THE GERMAN-ITALIAN deal produced a real equilibrium of forces between the Fascist powers, Austria could view the situation with equanimity. But the plan of the German-Italian deal, Italy's venture into Ethiopia proved a costly and debilitating experiment successful though it was on the surface. Secondly, German rearmament has now reached the point where another Italian troop concentration along the Brenner might not have the intended effect on the Third Reich that it had in 1934.

Dr. Kimball Doubted Shrine Would Affect Trees of Basin

By Gerald G. Gross

Dr. Fiske Kimball was not particularly impressed by the argument that location of the Jefferson Memorial at the Tidal Basin would spell the doom of the Japanese cherry trees.

This is shown by the official transcript of his statement to fellow members on the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Commission, June 5, 1935. "As to the cherry trees," he said, "Senator (Elbert D.) Thomas said quite rightly that they have a life of 200 or more years before they attain their full beauty. They only have been there about 20 years. They are perfectly capable, I am sure, of being transplanted if any need be."

"A great many are on the western boundary of the Tidal Basin and there are far more on Hains Point than on the eastern bank of the Potomac. I think we ought to be a little careful before we let our respect and love for trees, which would not have to be sacrificed—the argument of 'woodman, spare that tree'—stop us from choosing such a site and maybe a few trees

would have to be cut but after 30 years of struggle, after years, they are getting back to the original plan.

"If cutting these cherry trees was a declaration of war on Japan, I should not do it, but there are plenty of them along the western boundaries and at Hains Point, where these can be placed with the others."

At the same meeting, Representative Howard W. Smith of Virginia, expressed his partiality to a site "right on the banks of the Potomac River commanding a view of the Virginia hills." He was the critic of the Mall, favored by Senators McNary and Longworth, because "if you put a monument down there it will be sort of buried amongst a mass of government buildings and a good many people would hardly know it was there."

"As far as the cherry trees are concerned," Smith continued, "I asked the question whether I stopped to look at that site and I don't remember whether it was Dr. Moore (Fiske Kimball Commission chairman), or someone else who made the statement that the cherry trees would not be disturbed if the memorial was erected at the Tidal Basin or, if they were, they could be easily transplanted."

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Uneasy Austria

By
Barnet Nover

Reunion In Venice.

THE COMMUNIQUE issued after the two-day meeting in Venice of Chancellor Schuschnigg and Premier Mussolini seeks to give the impression that relations between Austria and Italy remain completely harmonious. But only in a limited sense is that still true. A great deal has happened in Europe and the world since the first months of 1934, when the late Engelbert Dollfuss placed Austria under the protecting wing of Mussolini in order to save her from the clutches of Hitler. That development, it will be recalled, came after the February riots in Paris, which suggested that France was rent by deep fissures and, therefore, incapable of playing a strong role in European affairs. It followed the demonstration of the League incapacity to safeguard China's territorial integrity against Japanese aggressions, and it also followed Hitler's successful defiance of the democratic powers.

Dollfuss had no intention of permitting Austria to be swallowed up by the Nazi regime. Since the democracies seemed weak and divided, he turned to Italy for aid in preserving Austria's independence. Italy's response was favorable and before very long the Rome protocols were signed by Dollfuss, Goemboes (the Hungarian premier) and Mussolini. But as the essential prelude to this development, Dollfuss had to permit the violent smashing of Socialist Vienna, which disliked Italian fascism as much as it did German nazism.

DOLLFUSS did not long survive the Rome protocols. Within a few months he was dead, a victim of Nazi assassins who murdered him as part of an attempt to seize power on behalf of Hitler.

As it happened, the putsch in Vienna went away while Mussolini, by ordering a large number of troops to the Brenner Pass, effectively prevented the Berlin government from coming to the aid of the Austrian Nazis. Germany, in the summer of 1934, was at a military point of view not as powerful as it has since become. Thus Austria was saved from becoming a German province but only by becoming an Italian satellite.

To Dr. Schuschnigg, who took over the reins from the lifeless hands of Dollfuss, there appeared to be no choice but to continue this arrangement. In 1935 and again, last year he emphasized Austria's loyalty to the Rome protocols. But the new Austrian chancellor was not content to see Austria's independence purely a product of Italian good will.

From the very beginning he sought to strengthen the internal stability of his nation by creating a center of loyalty around which the great majority of the population could rally. This involved, as he saw it, the restoration of the Hapsburgs with the Grand Duke Otto permitted to occupy the vacant throne.

THE AUSTRIAN leaders realized, of course, that there were real obstacles in the way of such a restoration. There was, of course, Nazi Germany which favored the nazification of Austria as a prelude to Anschluss, i. e., the union of the two Reichs. There were also the nations of the Little Entente (Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia and Rumania) which saw in a restoration the inevitable prelude to an attempt to restore the old Hapsburg empire. As beneficiaries of the breakup of the empire in 1918, they had no intention of permitting such a development.

Schuschnigg bided his time. One by one the internal barriers in the way of a restoration were removed. Monarchist propaganda became the order of the day and those who opposed the Hapsburgs, notably Prince Otto Stenemburg, were sidetracked. Moreover, comfort could be taken in the fact that Great Britain was not prepared to lift a finger to oppose the return of Otto, France was inclined to favor it as one possible way of insuring Austrian independence and Italy could be counted as a staunch supporter of anything the Vienna government did in this matter. Or at least that is what Schuschnigg thought. He was reckoning without Mussolini's imperial ambitions.

WHEN ITALY embarked on its Ethiopian campaign, and thus courted the hostility of Great Britain and the League of Nations, it became necessary for Mussolini to establish a common front with Germany.

He could not, of course, afford to make the Third Reich a present of Austria. The existence of Austria as a buffer state is vital to Italy. But, as it happened, the Nazi leaders had, since 1934, become persuaded that it is not absolutely necessary to use violent tactics to bring about Anschluss; Austria, they believe, will sooner or later fall into Germany's lap with only slight pressure from Berlin. And at the moment Italian good will had its value in Germany's dealings with France and Great Britain.

Thus it was that the two Fascist powers which in 1934 had been at odds over Austria, now found in 1936 achieve friendship on the basis of the continuance of Austria's independence.

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The "Berlin-Rome axis," therefore, is much stronger at the Berlin than the Rome end. Under the circumstances Italy has been unable to view calmly the possibility of a Hapsburg restoration in Vienna. That might give Germany its excuse to act. Thus having in the past blown off the hot or at least lukewarm oil of the question of Otto's return, Mussolini very definitely began to blow cold.

Said Virginio Gayda, Mussolini's principal spokesman on foreign affairs: "We emphasize that a restoration in Austria can bring nothing but dangers. . . . The Italian government has no intention of interfering in the internal affairs of Austria, but a demonstration of force is necessary in order to see to it that Austria shall not become an apple of discord between Germany and Italy. Moreover, Italy cannot assume the whole burden of the defense of the Brenner frontier, because she has also to defend other interests in her hinterland."

This development was like a cold water douche on the heads of Austrian monarchists. Since Austria could look to Italy neither for support for a restoration nor for military assistance against the Third Reich of what use is it to remain Italy's satellite?

Obviously of not much use. That is why, during recent months, Dr. Schuschnigg has been making gestures of amity in the direction of Czechoslovakia, of France and of Great Britain. He is seeking to develop that of that site and I don't remember whether it was Dr. Moore (Fiske Kimball Commission chairman), or someone else who made the statement that the cherry trees would not be disturbed if the memorial was erected at the Tidal Basin or, if they were, they could be easily transplanted."

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50 Are Injured In Strike Riot In California

Tear Gas and Shot Guns
Used in Battle at
Cannery.

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fellow was seen feeding himself ice cream with one hand and swinging a club with the other.

The break in the fighting came as Fitzgerald, accompanied by District Attorney F. C. Goodley, stepped to the portable address system and said:

"My message to you is that we are ready at this time to have the State Federation of Labor agree to allow an adequate number of people we represent to come into this plant and allow the wheels of this industry to revolve again."

Strike Two Weeks Old.

"If you agree to this, you must leave these premises and allow the field corps to come unimpeded to these canneries."

"I now ask you people to leave these premises, and hope and plead with you to refrain from any action which will be misinterpreted as a gesture against friendly and amicable settlement of the dispute."

The strike was called two weeks ago by the Agricultural and Cannery Workers Union, an American Federation of Labor affiliate, in support of demands for increased wages, shorter hours, union recognition, and improved working conditions.

Employers said they were unable to meet the demands, and, after failure of peace conferences, announced they would open for a spinach canning, using former employees willing to return to the jobs.

Strike Shuts Ford Plant.

Richmond, Calif., April 23 (AP)—The Ford Motor Co. assembly plant here was closed today by a sit-down strike which disrupted all activities among 2,000 workers.

The plant, largest on the Pacific Coast, reportedly was closed because officials allegedly refused to meet a grievance committee set up last week.

Miles G. Humphreys, a United Automobile Workers Union organizer, denied the sit-down was sanctioned by his organization. "It was spontaneous and not officially sanctioned by the U. A. W. headquarters," Humphreys said. Unionization efforts have been under way in the plant for several months.

Clarence Bullwinkel, plant manager, and other company officials would not comment on the strike. Frank Slaby, a national U. A. W. organizer with headquarters at Oakland, left for the strike scene.

Oshawa Agreement Signed.

Toronto, April 23 (AP)—The 16-day strike of 3,700 workers in the Oshawa plant of the General Motors of Canada came to an end today when representatives of the company and of the United Automobile Workers of America signed their first working agreement.

A few hours previously the strikers at Oshawa had voted 2,205 to 36 to accept the agreement, which will send them back to work Monday with higher pay and shorter hours but without the outright recognition of their union for which they struck.

Company officials said the agreement did not recognize the U. A. W. as an affiliate of John L. Lewis Committee for Industrial Organization, as collective bargaining agent for the employees.

The union leaders said the union had won a good measure of recognition.

N. L. R. B. Acts In Strike.

Lewiston, Me., April 23 (AP)—Lewiston-Auburn shoe manufacturers, adamant during a long strike in refusal to recognize the Committee for Industrial Organization, tonight faced the alternative of a joint conference or answering union allegations they violated the national labor relations act.

Dr. A. Howard Myers, New England regional labor board director, departed from the multi-patrolled strike sector with the announcement he would telephone the manufacturers tomorrow.

If they refused to confer with workers' representatives, he said, he would issue a complaint and a call for a formal hearing.

"I would not advise the strikers to return to work until they have a definite understanding of the basis on which negotiations would proceed," he said.

The C. I. O. called the strike in 19 Lewiston and Auburn shoe factories a month ago tomorrow for a 15 per cent wage boost, a 40-hour week and union recognition. There are about 6,400 shoe workers employed in the twin city factories affected.

To Vote In Packard Plant.

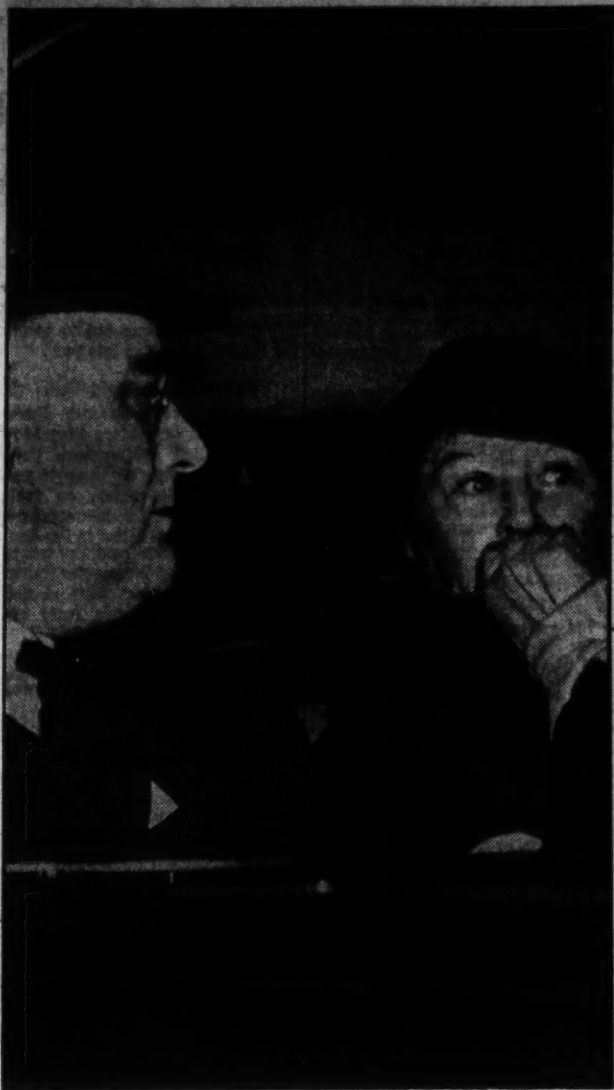
Detroit, April 23 (AP)—The United Automobile Workers of America announced today an election under the National Labor Relations Board to determine the right of the union to represent employees of the Packard Motor Car Co. in collective bargaining will be held April 28.

It is a minor item in the day's news that a dozen Navy amphibious planes made a practice mass cruise from San Diego to Hawaii. It is scarcely even that when the regular clipper ships take off for their routine flights across the Pacific, unless the news is that the flight was delayed for a day by adverse weather reports.

Not only can planes keep going, over these long stretches of ocean, but they can find their goals, tiny islets in the trackless waste, and report their location and progress at frequent intervals. And we

D. A. R. Vice Presidents General

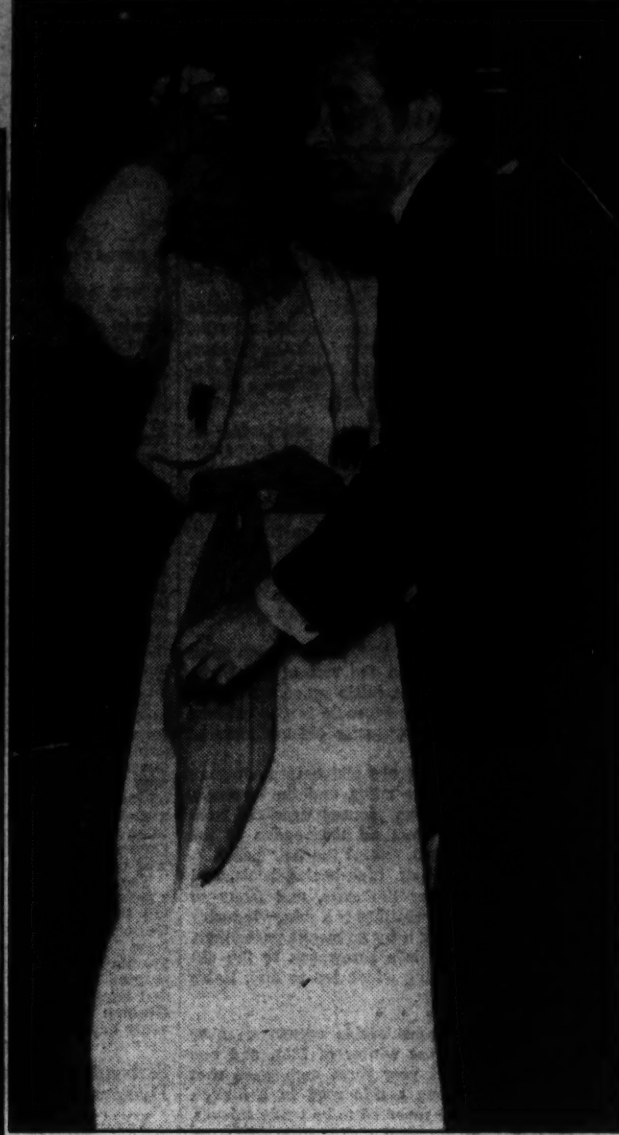
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MOURNS PASSING OF A FRIEND. President Roosevelt yesterday attended funeral services for W. Forbes Morgan, former treasurer of the Democratic National Committee. Pictured with the President outside St. Thomas' Episcopal Church is Mrs. David Gray, aunt of Mrs. Roosevelt. Morgan was a distant relative of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt.



D. A. R. OFFICERS. Gaily wearing the flowers which are a feature of the D. A. R. Congress here this week, the newly-elected vice presidents general posed for above photo. From left, seated, Mrs. C. E. Head, Mrs. W. H. Belk, Mrs. M. C. Turner. Standing, Mrs. F. M. Dick, of Cambridge, Md.; Mrs. E. H. Whittaker, Mrs. G. B. Averill and Miss Bonnie Farwell.



PRICE OF POPULARITY. Simone Simon, film star, as she was rescued from a crowd at Los Angeles by her escort, William Wyler, motion picture director, at the opening of the play "Tovarich," at which the audience was made up of film stars and the socially elect.



DEBS AMONG RED CROSS GRADUATES. Ellen Bryden and Jane Culbertson, with their diplomas, following graduation exercises of the Gray Ladies unit of Red Cross at Walter Reed Hospital. Diplomas were presented to 19 members of the class.



VISIT VIRGINIA TIDEWATER AREA. Representatives Andrew J. May, R. Ewing Thomason, James M. Fitzpatrick and Dow W. Harter pictured on deck of the "District of Columbia" before the ship departed for a two-day tour of the historic Tidewater section of the Old Dominion.



VICE PRESIDENT SAILS. Unpacking in his state-room, Vice President Garner is shown with L. Duggen, general manager of Newport News Water Works Commission, who accompanied Senators and members of House on their trip down the Potomac.



STRIKERS RIOT AS SPINACH TRUCK ARRIVES. A violent and bloody clash occurred outside a cannery at Stockton, Calif., that has been idle due to labor difficulties. The signal for hostilities was the arrival of the truckload of spinach, shown above, enveloped in clouds of tear gas while deputies blazed away with shotguns as pickets charged the truck.



... VICTIM OF SHOTGUN SLUGS. ... Bill Tucker, a machinist, was among those wounded by gunfire that accompanied the attempted reopening of the Stockton cannery.



... CAMERAMEN HAD TO DON GAS MASKS. News men and photographers, covering labor disturbances near Stockton, foresaw trouble and equipped themselves with gas masks and tin hats before venturing forth on their assignments. More than 50 persons were injured, according to hospital records, and an unknown number suffered from tear gas.

**Mrs. J. R. Mills,
Minister's Wife,
To Be Ordained**

**Husband to Preach Sermon
at Service in National
City Christian.**

Mrs. J. Raymond Mills, wife of the assistant minister at National City Christian Church, will be ordained into the ministry at services tomorrow night in that church.

Mr. Mills, who has charge of religious education in the parish, will preach the ordination sermon, his subject being "Why We Go to Paraguay." Participating in the service will be Dr. Raphael Harwood Miller, pastor of the church; Dr. W. H. Pearson, Mrs. E. V. Fugate and Earl Taggart. Mrs. Helen Turley, contralto, will sing.

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Columbia, Nebraska, The Beacon

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Columbia Heights. The Rev. Arthur P. Wilson, pastor, will continue his sermons on "Religious At-

In the evening the Sigma Delta Sigma class will present, under the direction of Wayne Bobst, a semi-

Ninth Street. The congregation will conclude its month of youth services tomorrow. Fred Forney will preside at the 11 a. m. service. Jeanette Leek will offer morning prayer; Helen Teague will read the Scripture lesson and Joe Young will offer benediction. Dr. George Oliver Taylor, who recently became direc-

Disciples of Christ in the Chesapeake area, will preach on "Christian Youth Chooses the Best" at the 11 a. m. service.

Young people will also conduct the 7:45 p. m. service.

Fifteenth Street. The Rev. L. L. Bowers, pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. on "The Gift of a Promise."

At 8 p. m. he will speak on "Just Around the Corner."

Third. The Rev. C. N. Williams, pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. on "The Glorious Gospel." A church party and reception for new members is planned for 8 p. m. There

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ciety.
8:00 p.m.—"A Tale of Four Cities."
Dr. Ralph Marshall Davis.

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Sunday Evening Young People, 6 to 8

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Miss Alison McDaniel, Mr. A. F. Bisgood Wed

Home of Mr. Charles Mason Remy Is Scene of
Chevy Chase Girl's Marriage
to New York Man.

The home of Mr. Charles Mason Remy on Massachusetts avenue was the scene of the wedding yesterday afternoon of Miss Alison McDaniel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Boyer McDaniel, of Chevy Chase, to Mr. Anthony Francis Bisgood, son of Mr. Wilfred Philip Bisgood, of London, England. The ceremony was performed at 4 o'clock in the little chapel in the music room, which was decorated with lilacs and stock. The Rev. Mr. Kenneth Lyons of Washington officiated.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a redingote gown of starched mousseline over an accordion pleated dress of chiffon and carried a bouquet of delphinium, larkspur and Japanese iris, shading from white to the deepest blue and yellow. In her hair she wore a coronet of the same flowers.

Her only attendant was Mrs. Samuel Sloane Auchincloss, of New York, who wore a gown of white chiffon and carried a small bouquet of the same flowers and wore a narrow wreath of them in her hair.

Mr. Bisgood had as his best man Mr. Francis Thornton Greene, of Warrenton, Va.

The wedding music played on the organ included the Overture to "Tannhauser," before the ceremony, Beethoven's "Moonlight Sonata" played softly during it and, following, music from "Die Meistersinger."

After the ceremony there was a reception for about 40 guests at the home of the bride's parents in Chevy Chase.

The bride, who made her debut here in 1932, is a graduate of Vassar College and, for the past three years has been in New York City, where she has been an editor of Mademoiselle and a stylist for one of the leading stores.

Mr. Bisgood is a graduate of Dartmouth, the British Naval College, and has been in New York for several years. He and his bride left for Virginia where they expect to spend most of the summer and will then travel in this country and abroad for two years before returning to New York to reside.

Chilean Ambassador Entertains At Luncheon for Former Envoy

The Ambassador of Chile, Senor Don Manuel Trucco, entertained at a luncheon yesterday in honor of Senator Miguel Cruchaga of Chile, former Ambassador to this country.

The guests included the Ambassador of Peru, Senor Don Manuel de Freyre y Santander; the Ambassador of Mexico, Senor Dr. Francisco Castillo Najera; the Ambassador of Brazil, Mr. Oswaldo Aranha; the Ambassador of Ecuador, Senor Capitan Colon Eloy Alfaro; the Minister of Bolivia, Senor Dr. Don Luis Fernando Guachalla; the Minister of Guatemala, Senor Dr. Adrian Recinos; Dr. Leo S. Rowe, Director General of the Pan American Union; Mr. William S. Culbertson, former Ambassador to Chile; Dr. James Brown Scott, Mr. Fred Britten, Mr. Louis J. Heath, Mr. Harold Hinton, Senor Don Sergio Huneeus, First Secretary of the Chilean Embassy; Group Captain Alfredo Puga, Air Attache of the Embassy; Senor Manuel Pereira, Secretary of the Embassy; Senor Don Carlos Campbell, Commercial Attache; Dr. Alberto Cuchaga and Mr. Alejandro Bertrand.

Mrs. Cordell Hull Guest of Honor At Luncheon Given by Mme. Fotich

Mrs. Cordell Hull, wife of the Secretary of State, was the guest in whose honor Mme. Fotich, wife of the Minister of Yugoslavia, entertained at luncheon yesterday.

The other guests were Mme. Saito, wife of the Japanese Ambassador; Mme. Ertegun, wife of the Turkish Ambassador; Mme. Peter, wife of the Minister of Switzerland; Mme. Hurban, wife of the Minister of Czechoslovakia; Mrs. William King, wife of Senator King; Mme. Wankowicz, wife of the Counselor of the Polish Embassy; Frau Thomsen, wife of the Counselor of the German Embassy; Signora Coppola, wife of the Air and Military Attache of the Italian Embassy; Mme. Schlatter, wife of the Attache of the Swiss Legation; Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, Mrs. Ernest Draper, Mrs. Wallace Murray, Mrs. Adolph Miller, Mrs. Frank Simonds, Mrs. Maynard Barnes, Mrs. Jacob Leander Loose, Mrs. Campbell Pritchett, Miss Harriet Winslow, Miss Mary Randolph, and Mme. Franca.

The Minister of Venezuela, Senor Dr. Don Diogenes Escalante, entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Mayflower in compliment to the Minister of the Dominican Republic to Great Britain and Senora Henriques Urena, who have been in Washington for about three months and are leaving in time to attend the coronation.

Countess Potocka, wife of the Ambassador of Poland, who has been in Charlottesville, Va., for several weeks, will join Count Potocki here the first of the week. They will leave Wednesday to spend the summer in Poland.

The French Ambassador and Mme. Bonnet will return today or tomorrow from New York, where they went to attend a dinner of the Foreign Policy Association, at which the Ambassador spoke.

Mr. Johnston to Wed Miss Ruth King

Ceremony to Take Place at
Hagerstown Baptist Church.

Miss Ruth King, daughter of Mr. H. L. King and the late Mrs. King, will be married at noon today to Mr. Richard Leiter Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Johnston, of Hagerstown, Md. The ceremony will take place at the Calvary Baptist Church, the Rev. W. S. Abernathy officiating. A wedding luncheon will follow at the Carlton Hotel. Miss King, who will wear a navy blue ensemble with matching accessories and a corsage of orchids, will have as her only attendant, Mrs. Frank McLemore. The latter will wear a frock of rose crepe with a blue bolero. Rice flowers will be roses and lilies of the valley. Mr. Harold Johnston, brother of the bridegroom, will be best man. After the wedding luncheon, the couple will leave for a wedding trip in the North and will return to Washington for a brief stay before making their residence in Chicago, Ill.

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MR. AND MRS. ANTHONY BISGOOD,
who were married yesterday at the home of the bridegroom's uncle,
Mr. Charles Mason Remy, on Massachusetts avenue. The bride is the
former Miss Alison McDaniel.

THE MERRY WHIRL

By Marylyn

Speedy packing and decision-making should be Maxine Berg's middle name. After a pleasant visit in Florida, she returned to her apartment here, apparently satisfied to do no more traveling for a time. Then one bright day she told a friend she thought she would go over to Hawaii. The friend, interested, but not taking the statement seriously, asked when she might start. Maxine replied that probably on the following Wednesday—then several days away—and added that that would put her in San Francisco on Saturday. This did not seem possible to the friend, who commented on the fact that the trip overland would take longer and that she suspected that in order to get to the West Coast Saturday Maxine would have to leave the next day. She not only had to do so, but did, getting her things together in a hurry, and is now in California awaiting a steamer to Oahu.

Speaking of the enchanting islands, Dick Tuggle will have the opportunity to see the waving palm trees and fragrant leis of Honolulu soon. He is leaving Washington the middle of May for the West Coast, motoring across, and joining his ship-to-be, the U. S. S. New Mexico, of which he is to be navigator. Later in the season, the fleet is bound to pay a call on the islands, whether because of a joint war

game with the armies of Schofield Barracks and the numerous Coast Artillery posts, or merely a trek about the waters of the world.

Rachel Davies Walker (Mrs. Aldace, to be more formal) looked very sporty and summery in her pale blue loose-woven tweed ensemble, her blonde wavy hair unconfined by hat or bandeau, when she rushed into the drug store to make a few purchases early yesterday morning.

We saw two Bills yesterday afternoon. In the Mayflower lounge, that meeting place of oh, so many—red-headed Bill Rapley, who always wears good-looking brown tweeds, was having a tall cooling drink with a feminine friend, who wore a brocade coat over her printed frock. Turning around and peering in the opposite direction, we saw Bill Saunders, dashing young blond Marine flier, who, with a very petite dark-eyed young miss, was answering the call of the dance music.

A much traveled young lady has just come here to live. She is Barbara Mace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brice Mace, of California. During her not too many years she has lived in 38 States and traveled in 17 countries on continents. Now she intends to settle down for a while and major in foreign languages at a local high school.

Gray Ladies Graduate In Colorful Ceremony

Impressive March Starts Exercises in Red Cross
House at Walter Reed Hospital; Army
Band Provides Music.

The graduation of the twelfth Gray Lady unit of the Red Cross took place yesterday afternoon at 3:30 in the Red Cross House at Walter Reed General Hospital. Gay spring flowers, palms and ferns were arranged effectively throughout the house.

The ceremony started with the impressive march of the Gray Ladies—those who have already received their diplomas and those of yesterday's class—all wearing their uniforms and veils. After the invocation by Chaplain Alfred C. Oliver, Jr., Col. Joseph Siler made an introduction and the Surgeon General of the Army, Maj. Gen. Charles R. Reynolds, addressed the class. Following that Miss Mabel Boardman, who has been such a moving factor in the Red Cross, and who was yesterday

costumed in bottle green, welcomed the newcomers into the fold. Brig. Gen. Wallace DeWitt, assisted by Miss Mary Louise Lower, also attired in the picturesque uniform, and Mrs. Henry R. Rea, attired in silver-ribbed lame, presented the certificates and pins.

Following this there was a program of musical selections by the Army Band and tea was served. Among the first to take her turn pouring was Mrs. George Dunlop.

Among those seen were Mrs. William Borah, wearing an attractive costume of navy blue and white, the frock being of the darker color and the short box jacket of white. Her hat of navy blue was a shallow turban with a single silver ornament, the center of which was cut out, showing the wearer's blonde hair. Mrs. Eldridge Jordan, Mrs. DeWitt, in dark blue with accents of white and a red straw hat; Mrs. William Bryden, wearing a trim, dark blue tulle with a printed blouse and a medium brimmed hat of blue straw; Gen. and Mrs. Merritt W. Ireland and Gen. Albert Cox.

Those who received their diplomas were Mrs. H. D. Awall, Mrs. Robert Bicknell, Mrs. Charles W. Bradley, Jr., Miss Ellen Bryden, Mrs. Gertrude Camp, Miss Jane Culbertson, Mrs. John E. Doyle, Mrs. M. A. Ferrell, Mrs. Colden Ruggles Florence, Mrs. John W. Noyes, Mrs. R. C. Scrivener, Mrs. Ruth Smith, Mrs. Ardo T. Thompson, Mrs. William H. Wagner, Mrs. Frank Ward, Mrs. Harry Wardman, Mrs. Brooks Wheeler and Mrs. Mary Lloyd Willis.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a cape ensemble of beige sheer wool with a small brown hat and accessories and a corsage of bronze orchids.

Mrs. Jean Pretzfelder, her only attendant, was gowned in green crepe and carried yellow roses. Mr. Richard J. Livingston, of Chicago, served as best man. Following the ceremony there was a wedding breakfast, after which the couple left for New York.

Irving W. Swansons To Make Home Here

Mr. and Mrs. Irving W. Swansons, who were married Sunday in Lewisburg, W. Va., will reside temporarily in Washington, where Mr. Swanson is an advanced law student at George Washington University. He is a nephew of Representative and Mrs. Roy O. Woodruff, of Michigan.

The bride is the former Margaret Ida McMurray, daughter of Col. and Mrs. C. M. McMurray, of Boston. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Swanson, of St. Paul, Minn.

Miss Dorothy Sielaff, Mr. Pierce Wed Today

Miss Dorothy E. Sielaff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred E. Sielaff, of Minneapolis, will be married at 5 p. m. today at Christ Lutheran Church to Mr. William Lloyd Pierce, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Pierce, of Holly Terrace. They will take a boat trip to Norfolk and on their return will be at home at 1621 F street northwest.

Fuller at Home.
Mrs. Claude A. Fuller will be at home at the Wardman Park Hotel from 4 to 6 o'clock April 27.

Decatur House Is Mecca for Many Visitors

Will Be Opened Again Today
for Benefit of
Foundation.

Several hundred persons, including an 84-year-old woman from Alexandria, went through Decatur House yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Truxton Beale, owner of the house, is opening it again today for the benefit of the Naval Historical Foundation.

Naval officers were stationed throughout the home to explain to the visitors the many treasures it contains. There is much beautiful furniture and there are many articles of historic interest, including a mirror frame carved from the timbers of the frigate Congress, on which Lieut. Edward Beale, father of the late Truxton Beale, made his first voyage. The mirror, in the form of a wreath, was sent to his family

at the time of his death by one of the sailors who had been with him on the Congress.

The floor of one of the upstairs drawing rooms is made entirely of wood brought back from California by Lieut. Beale. In the room adjacent are the original plans of the house together with some new plans drawn up by WPA workers for the Library of Congress.

Decatur House was the first dwelling built on Lafayette Square after the White House, and it was from this house that Commodore Stephen Decatur went forth to fight the duel with Commodore James Barron, in which he was killed.

Yesterday the large walled garden behind the house was open to the public, and was decorated with Navy signal flags. In one corner the Marine Band played and visitors had tea in the garden.

Among those who went through the house yesterday were Vice Admiral W. L. Rodgers, president of the Naval Historical Foundation; Capt. Dudley Knox, secretary; Mrs. Albert Niblack, Miss Jane Watson, Mrs. W. S. Anderson, whose husband was formerly Naval Attache at the American Embassy in London; the French Naval Attache and Mme. Sabie, Capt. and Mrs. Chester Wells and Rear Admiral Stockton, who was graduated from Annapolis in 1871.

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Tea Is Given At Home by Mrs. Mack

Countess Tolstoy Assists in Receiving, Gives Lecture at Night.

Guests Gather in Two Rooms; Many of Corps of Diplomats Attend.

By Jessie Ash Arndt.

Mrs. J. J. Mack yesterday afternoon entertained at a tea at her home on Forest Lane at which Countess Alexandra Tolstoy, a friend in the days of old Russia, received with her. Countess Tolstoy last night presented a lecture at the Washington Club for the benefit of the Russian Children's Welfare Society, at which she told of her father and his work.

Many of the guests at the tea were also in last night's audience.

Countess Tolstoy yesterday wore a jacketed gown of black lace with a red flower at the neck, and the hostess had on a shirtdress gown of novelty white satin with pockets headed in color. They received in the drawing room, and in the dining room adjoining was the table with a centerpiece of white lilies and fruit blossoms and smaller bouquets of pink sweet peas on either side.

Some Gather Near Bar.

Some of the guests gathered in the dining room and some in the recreation room on the floor below, where there was a small bar.

Among those who poured were Mrs. Ertugun, wife of the Turkish Ambassador; Mrs. Rajamaitri, wife of the Siamese Minister; Mrs. George Belocovitch, daughter-in-law of the hostess; and Mrs. William W. Howes, who was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mary Senate Howes, and her fiancé, Mr. John Stewart. Miss Howes wore a suit of powder blue trimmed with gray and a small blue hat with flowers at the front.

Also among the guests were Mrs. Pastoriza, wife of the Dominican Republic Minister; the Guatemalan Minister and Senora de Recinos and their daughter, Senora Laura Recinos; Mr. Anis Azer, of the Egyptian Legation; Dr. Nelson Dorton, Col. and Mrs. Consuelo Seno, Col. and Mrs. Joseph Cecil, Mrs. Henry Albert, Mr. and Mrs. George Bean, Mrs. J. Fred Essary, Mrs. M. Webster Dawley, who wore a navy blue costume with an unusual hat of horsehair braid scalloped around the edge, and Mrs. Dorothy Lee Ward, just returned from Florida.

Mrs. Lineberger Attends.

Mrs. Paul Myron Lineberger also was there, wearing a red straw hat matching her flowered print dress. She has just returned from a visit to her son, Dr. Paul Myron Lineberger, in Cambridge, Mass., where he is on the Harvard faculty. Her husband, Judge Lineberger, expects to sail May 5 for Europe to spend the summer in Geneva.

Also among the guests was Lieut. Basil Toutorsky, who was a Russian naval officer, and Mme. Toutorsky. They are going late in May to Long Island to spend the summer.

The Assistant Financial Counselor of the Rumanian Legation and Mme. Dimitriu were accompanied by Mme. Dimitriu's mother, Mrs. John Bennett, who sat beside Baroness von Below in the dining room. Among others present were Mrs. William E. Borah, Mr. Paulo Hassel, of the Brazilian Embassy; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Burke, Mrs. Burke wearing a coronation frock with a small design of crowns in white on a navy blue ground and a scarf of green at the neck matching the green of her small hat; Mme. Malda Fani d'Aubry; Miss Sibilla Skidelsky, Mrs. Mattie Wyatt Porter, Capt. and Mme. Prieto and the Minister Counselor of the Cuban Embassy and Mme. Baron.

Classmates Will Honor

Judge Sara M. Soffel

Judge Sara M. Soffel will be honored at a luncheon this noon at the clubhouse of the American Association of University Women, 1634 I street, by members of her class at Wellesley College, of which Judge Soffel is a graduate. A well-known jurist in Pittsburgh, Pa., she will address the twentieth dinner of the Women's Bar Association of the District of Columbia this evening.

Among those present at the luncheon will be Mrs. Hamilton Alexander, Mrs. Walter D. Brookings, Mrs. Clarence E. Hancock, Mrs. Samuel Herrick, Mrs. Edwin G. Nourse and Mrs. Henry B. Caton, president of the Wellesley College Club of Washington.

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Countess Tolstoy Receives With Hostess at Tea



Mrs. J. J. Mack (left), who entertained at tea yesterday, and one of her guests, Countess Alexandra Tolstoy, who received with her.

Party Women To Honor Clubs

Mrs. Hull to Be Ranking Guest at Democratic Tea Tomorrow.

Mrs. Cordell Hull, wife of the Secretary of State, will be the ranking guest at the tea which will be given this afternoon at the Woman's National Democratic Club in honor of the affiliated clubs of Maryland and Virginia.

Mrs. May Thompson Evans, assistant director of the Woman's Division of the Democratic National Committee, will be in the receiving line, as will Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard, president of the club; Mrs. Ethel R. Lorentz, Mrs. Ralph Close, Mrs. P. J. Fischer, Mrs. Richard Strong and Mrs. Laura T. Boldin. Mrs. Samuel Herrick will make the introductions.

Mrs. Emily Newell Blair and Mrs. Burton K. Wheeler will be hostesses for the afternoon and will be assisted by Mrs. Alfred Steffen, Mrs. A. J. Pugh, Mrs. John Werner, Miss Olivia Knight, Mrs. Harrison Nesbit, Mrs. B. Richardson Glascock, Mrs. William Cushing, Mrs. James Whiteley, Mrs. Lewis Carl and Mrs. William Fries.

Announce Marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Cissel announce the marriage of their daughter, Eleanor, to Mr. Robert Holmead, on April 17 at Cambridge, Md.

At the close of the luncheon, Mrs. Roosevelt hurried back to the White House to receive D. A. R. delegates.

Gardens Once Hid Incurables' Home

Institution Formerly at Dumbarton Oaks.

An unsuspected connection between the Home for Incurables and Dumbarton Oaks' gardens, to be shown for the home's benefit this afternoon from 2 to 6 o'clock, has been shown by Mrs. Robert S. Chew, an officer of the board of managers of the home.

Gathering material for her radio talk on the home and forthcoming benefit, Mrs. Chew found papers indicating that what is now the northwest corner of the gardens, was back in the early days of its founding, the site of the old home. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, through whose courtesy the gardens of their estate are to be open on Saturday, bought the old home and its grounds, tore down the building and laid out that portion of their garden with shady walks and banks of flowers.

Holy Trinity Alumnae Planning Spring Dance

The alumnae of Holy Trinity High School are completing plans for their annual spring dance at Kenwood Country Club, Saturday evening, May 16.

Miss Mary Gilhooly, president of the Alumnae Association, is general chairman. Assisting her, on the patrons' committee are Miss Dorothy Rhodes, Miss Rita Hickey and Miss Mary Jane Schell. Miss Helen Gartland is on the poster committee, and Miss Margaret O'Connor is chairman of publicity.

Club Will Give Bridge, Dance

Associate Members Will Be Hostess Saturday at Congressional.

Associate members of the Congressional Club will be hostesses at a bridge and tea dance at the clubhouse at 2001 New Hampshire avenue this afternoon. There will be bridge playing from 2 to 4 o'clock, after which the Marihe Band will furnish the music for dancing until 6:30 p. m.

Among those who will entertain guests are the Misses Anne Louise Blanton, Margaret Campbell, Reba Doughton, Charlotte King, Ruth Reed, daughter of the president of the club; Vivian Vestal, and the Mesdames Robert Earle, Joseph A. Herbert, chairman; Jack Marshall and Thomas A. Wadden, whose honor guests will be Mrs. Edwin Fuller Parkam, Mrs. W. P. Ghoslon, of Henderson, N. C., and Mrs. H. J. Kloner.

Mrs. Joseph A. Herbert, jr., is chairman of the associate members group.

Miss Leonard Bride Today.

The wedding of Miss Grace Mary Leonard, daughter of Mrs. Edmund Miller Cohn, and Mr. Edward Elsworth Harbold, son of Mrs. Roseanne Harbold, will take place this evening in St. Thomas Church with the Rev. Benjamin G. Wilkinson officiating in the presence of members of the family only.

British Envoy Honor Guest At Luncheon

Society Throng Attends English Speaking Union Affair.

Sir Ronald Lindsay and Prof. Nettleton Make Addresses.

Washington society was well represented yesterday at the luncheon given by the English Speaking Union at the Willard Hotel, in honor of the dean of the Diplomatic Corps, Sir Ronald Lindsay, Ambassador of Great Britain. Before luncheon the guests gathered in the large ballroom before going on into the gold-mirrored room adjoining.

Sir Ronald was accompanied by several members of his embassy staff, including the Naval Attache and Mrs. F. C. Bradley, the latter gowned in dark brown trimmed with gold kid and with which she wore a large dark brown felt hat; the Military Attache and Mrs. W. T. Torr, who had on a cape ensemble of dark blue and a small peaked turban of the same material; Group Capt. T. E. B. Howe, Mrs. Frank Heywood, wife of the commercial secretary, wearing a blue and white printed suit; Mr. Leander McCormick-Goodhart and Mr. Benjamin Plunket.

The Canadian Minister and Lady Marler, she in a cream-colored costume with which she wore a wide-brimmed hat of dark red rough straw, were seated at the speaker's table.

Following luncheon Sir Ronald and Prof. George Nettleton, of Yale, spoke.

Among others at the luncheon were Mrs. Eldon King, wearing a dark blue frock trimmed in white, and piped with jade green and a

small off-the-face hat of black straw trimmed with daisies; Mrs. Strickland Gilliland, who had on a black suit with blouse of turquoise blue crepe and a straw braid and crepe turban of royal blue; Baroness von Below, wearing beige chiffon and lace with a large natural straw hat; Mrs. L. H. Parker in brown tucked chiffon with picture hat to match.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hampton Ellis, she in dark-blue with accents of light blue and white; the Rev. Meade Bolton McBryde; Miss Nancy Wright, in blue and white printed crepe with a Breton sailor of baki straw; Miss Kathryn Bissell and Mrs. Bruce Wallace, in soft green with a large hat of brown moire.

Others were Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Murdock, the latter in beige with a wine-colored hat; Mrs. Rushmore Patterson, wearing a tan suit and maroon straw hat trimmed with a cluster of bright flowers; Canon and Mrs. Anson Phelps Stokes; Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman, in a black suit with a silver fox scarf.

Minister to Honor Dr. James B. Scott

The Minister of El Salvador, Senor Dr. Don Hector David Castro, will entertain at a luncheon today at 1 o'clock at the Metropolitan Club in honor of Dr. James Brown Scott, secretary general of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

The Minister's guests will include the Ambassador of Mexico, Senor Dr. Don Francisco Castillo Najera; the Ambassador of Cuba, Senor Dr. Pedro Martinez Fraga; the Ambassador of Ecuador, Senor Don Capitan Colon Eloy Alfaro; the Minister of Guatemala, Senor Dr. Don Adrian Recinos; the Minister of Colombia, Senor Don Miguel Lopez Pumarejo; the Minister of the Dominican Republic, Senor Don Andres Pastoriza; the Minister of Venezuela, Senor Dr. Don Diogenes Escalante; the Minister of Panama, Senor Dr. Don Augusto S. Boyd; the Minister of Nicaragua, Senor Dr. Don Carlos Brenes Jarquin; the Minister of Haiti, M. Elie Lesot; the Charge d'Affaires of Honduras, Senor Don Julian R. Caceres; Dr. Ricardo J. Alfaro, former President of Panama; Dr. Max Urena, Dominican Minister to London; Mr. Arturo Fernandez, Dr. George Finch, and Mr. Alan Hurd.

Dr. H. M. Strong Will Give Talk On Land's Use

Woman Geographers Are to Hear Expert on Soil Conservation.

Dr. Helen M. Strong, soil conservationist of the Department of Agriculture and a member of the Society of Women Geographers, will address members of the society today at a meeting at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Martin, 3215 R street. She will tell of the work of the Soil Conservation Service in the Pacific Northwest, the Southwest, the Dust Bowl and the South.

Dr. Strong will use slides and a 15-minute sound reel to dramatize the cycle from original vegetation through its destruction by soil erosion and its restoration possibilities by correct land use.

The Society of Women Geographers is international in scope, with other large groups meeting in New York and Chicago. Active membership includes women engaged in geographic and related fields, with associates comprised of women interested in travel and in furthering geographic research among women.

Mrs. Charles D. Walcott is national president of the society, and Miss Ellen LaMotte is chairman of the Washington group.

The meeting will be attended by Dr. Florence Bascom, Mrs. Gregg C. Birdsell, Mrs. Helen Churchill Candee, Miss Clara Egli, Miss Edith M. Flitton, Mrs. Gilbert H. Grosvenor, Miss Grace Dunham Guest, Miss Margaret A. Hitch, Miss Ellen N. LaMotte, Mrs. Fulton Lewis, Mrs. Lawrence Martin, Miss Lois Olson, Mrs. Sophia Saucerman, Miss Helen B. Smith, Miss Taisia Stadenchenko, Miss Emma Mertins Thom, Mrs. Charles D. Walcott and Miss Irene A. Wright.

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Which one of your family group can solve these weekly mysteries most quickly?

MARY HAWORTH'S MAIL

"Getting Panicky" at Prospect of Being an Old Maid, Girl of 27 Asks How to Adjust Self.

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I am a young woman now 27 years old and confronted with the problem of having no suitor and no prospect of marriage. About eight months ago the man whom I expected to marry found someone he loved better than he did me. I have no hopes of winning him back and I have managed to put him more or less out of my mind.

After the experience of loving and being loved it is very difficult to adjust one's self to being alone. It gives one a sample of how unhappy an old maid's life must be. In other words, I'm getting panicky. Although I am employed in a professional job which can lead to a definite career, it no longer means anything to me except a means of livelihood.

All I can think of is: How can I get married or find someone to love me? It's very frustrating to feel this way. I try to make friends without seeming too bold, but although the person will be friendly, he will not make any advances. This, coupled with the fact that most of my friends and the men of my acquaintance are already married, makes me feel the situation is hopeless.

I'm not putting all the blame on the other sex or on fate. I know there is something lacking in me, else I would have married long ago, as the other girls did. I am attractive and intelligent, but over a period of ten years have had only four real boy friends and held them for only a short time.

Can you suggest how I can find what I am looking for? Or else how I can make some adjustment to my present situation so that life will seem worth living? I will appreciate your advice. Sincerely yours, FRUSTRATED.

The Conquest of Panie.

DEAR FRUSTRATED: Your present despair is largely the result of living in an imaginary future while closing your eyes to the manifold interesting possibilities of the immediate, tangible now. It is natural and wholesome that any young woman should yearn to love and be loved and that she should regard marriage as virtually indispensable to her fullest happiness and self-development, but there is absolutely no sense in frantically rebelling against or numbly resigning herself to the prospect of spinsterhood simply because she hasn't been married or wooed with matrimonial intent before the springtime age of 27.

The trouble with you is (and has been all along) that your personality, vitality and all your potential social talents—those talents which, rightly employed, would net you a suitor, a husband, and permanent escape from spinsterhood—are frozen by fear. You admit you are "getting panicky." This admission really means that your panic, at long last, has emerged from the limbo of the unconscious where it has existed for years to take complete charge of your conscious mind. No doubt you've been panicky since the time you lost your first beau after a brief association.

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Frills Gaining New Popularity In Home Wear

Definite Trend Is Noted in More Femininity for Dress Designs.

By Ethel Ehlen, The Post Fashion Editor.

FEMININITY in the domestic drama is the last word in the present mad craze for frills and furbelows. No longer does the tired business woman come home to dinner to be greeted by the little woman in a gingham dress or mannish-looking house pajamas of satin or broadcloth. That is, if she is the kind of wife who knows her style trends and her masculine psychology.

To make women more delightfully feminine, designers presented the house coat in the early spring collections. The next step was the hostess gown in the 1937 manner, fashioned of filmy chiffon or lovely lace. The woman who follows the dictums of Paris modes and vagaries will not stop at these mere fashion whims and stylings, but will don a tea gown with all of the queenly airs of a duchess. This may be another coronation influence.

Feminine and Fragile.

Not only is there a definite trend toward more femininity in the styles to be worn in the home, but fragile cobwebby materials and delicate trimmings are becoming more popular. Materials in odd combinations and unique color contrasts are notable features of the new apparel for "around the house." Old-fashioned frills vie with those in the modern classification. Sometimes they are merged, making for striking and oftentimes dramatic effects. Humble cottons and regal silks combine to fashion house gowns of unusual chic; likewise, laces and cotton.

All of this femininity and frailty call for soft color tones—dusty pinks, cloudy blues, misty grays, mauve, pristine white, cyclamen tones, pale yellows and greens. Usually at least two colors are combined, one over the other in lining effect, or the contrasting tone as a smart trimming. Yards and yards of trailing panels hang from the shoulders in many of the new tea gowns. These may be worn around the arm in careless artistry. Other gowns have trains; some have billowing skirts; still others resort to the classic simplicity of a Grecian robe.

For the Conservative.

For the more conservative person there is a delightful compromise in styling in house gowns: a merging of the lines of the house coat, hostess gown and tea gown. These garments are more formal than the trailing tea gown, and more smart, women prefer this type of designing because it is smart and feminine without being too "fussy." Lace, taffeta, novelty silks, pebbly crepes, sheer wool, chiffon, are some of the popular materials for this type of garment.

To Greet Guests—Or a Tired Husband



The charming hostess gown or house coat, above, is of ivory beige lace lined with organdie. Designed by Worth, of London, it represents the trend toward femininity in "house" clothes. A lace hostess gown of this type in a delicate pastel color would solve the problem of keeping a husband home summer evenings.

Whatever the design, material and color scheme happens to be, the new house coats and hostess gowns aim to make all women glamorous. They are a happy suggestion for the career woman who goes tailored to business, but after 6 o'clock becomes a frail and feminine creature in her own home or apartment. The psychology is ultra-smart, and there are so many and diverse creations from which to choose that even the house coat or hostess gown may be distinctly individual.

TODAY'S HEALTH TALK

By Dr. Logan Clendenen.

Vitamin A Deficiency.

By Logan Clendenen, M. D.

Are you sure that you have not got hemeralopia? In plain words, hemeralopia is night blindness.

Traffic accidents reach a peak at dusk and darkness, in spite of the fact that the traffic curve begins to decline rapidly after twilight. Night blindness might, therefore, be one cause of the increase in twilight and after-sunset traffic accidents. Night blindness is frequently due to Vitamin A deficiency in the individual, and according to Dr. Harold Jagers, of the Boston University School of Medicine, this Vitamin A deficiency might easily be responsible for the form of night blindness which stands behind so many accidents.

Cured by Vitamin A.

Hemeralopia is caused by exhaustion of the visual purple in the retinal rod cells. This visual purple is rapidly regenerated if sufficient Vitamin A is present in the body. Normal vision is quickly restored to patients with night blindness by the use of Vitamin A.

The commonest manifestation, according to Dr. Jagers, of Vitamin A lack in older children and adults is essential hemeralopia. No eye examination now common in the United States will reveal the condition. It must be detected with an instrument called a "photometer." A low reading with this instrument identifies the patient as suffering from diminished adaptation to dim light, with consequent impairment of visual acuity.

It takes about two weeks for concentrated Vitamin A to restore the patient with night blindness to normal.

Questions From Readers.

W. R. (1) Is it beneficial or injurious to the vision to take a glass of hot water with juice of a lemon and a small amount of bicarbonate of soda every morning? (2) What is the name of the acid used by doctors to burn out skin cancer? (3) Is an enema of two quarts of water with two teaspoons of bicarbonate of soda taken twice a week good to reduce the acid in a person's system?

Answers: (1) The hot water and lemon and soda may allay slight indigestion. Otherwise, it probably does little good. It does no harm. (2) Acid is not used by doctors to burn out skin cancer. It is too painful; it is too uncertain, and its effect is too uncertain.

Miss Margaret Cuthbert, of the National Broadcasting Co., listed the qualities for success in radio as ideas, initiative, knowledge of many things, the ability to make quick decisions and stand or fall with them and the ability to get along with people.

Dr. Mildred Wicker Jackson, of Oyster Bay, said no woman should study medicine unless she was convinced she would never be happy unless a physician.

Miss Jessamine Whitney, of the National Tuberculosis Association, said the field of vital statistics required a logical type of mind, imagination, a knowledge of many things and the willingness to see through drudgery.

A WOMAN'S NEW YORK

By Alice Hughes

New York, April 23. AT THIS SOMEWHAT hysterical season our poor stone-bound cliff dwellers grow absolutely frantic about the Return to the Soil—and I have never seen the feeling so violent as it is this spring.

The poor thing, who is simply whirl round and round. Conning a list of my best friends, I found that no less than 25 of them were moving out to newly acquired acreage within the next month!

There's a big nest of them in Jersey, in the Flemington country which was the somewhat bleaker setting for the Lindbergh tragedy. Then there's another parcel in Connecticut, based chiefly on Norwalk and Stamford.

There's a third along the Hudson in the beautiful stretch near West Point, where the soldiers grow. Their yearning for the open is the good sound of common sense and understandable today—life in big cities being what it is.

Even the stay-in-towns think about the birds and the bees and the flowers. You've touched at the number of plants I can see on fire escapes and ledges from my Murray Hill window. And they like to have something living and natural inside their apartments, too. Remember the "ant-palaces" which had a living year ago—the glass dinghies through which we would watch the little citizens working and dying? This year it's a glass bee-hive for apartment dwellers—fits on a window sill and can contain 4 pounds of honey! The poor buzzers can loiter! Wonder what's become of her? Imagine—ants in a glass jar, bees on a window sill! Come on—cry a bit!

GIRL ABOUT TOWN—Dear Katharine Cornell has decided to do right by the old town after all—she's extended her run in Shaw's "Candida," another two weeks, and her fans are hopping happy. She's dropped "The Wingless Victory" entirely, for "Candida" proved the bigger draw—and she's truly lovely in it.

Harper's has the new Edna St. Vincent Millay manuscript of new poems locked tight in the office safe, and the book will appear in May, called "Conversation at Midnight," just when poets should talk! Wonder what's become of her lovely actress sister, Norma, whom I knew briefly in the old Greenwich Village days. Three exceptional sisters, Edna, Norma and Kathleen, who wrote novels.

Speaking of the village, if you want to catch its long-lost tang, you can still find it at Mori's immortal restaurant on Bleecker street—rich carpets, soft lights, help who seem to have been born in the place. The Italian food remains superb—chicken cacciatore, veal chop parmigiana, oh, my goodness! But you'll look in vain for the eager young faces who dreamed great

dreams (some of which really came true) about 15 years ago.

Any Mollison, the attractive British blonde flying girl, I note scurrying around town of late. Her divorce from her husband, partner, Jim, is a settled matter, now, though they've been separated quite a long time. Any really looks prettier than ever.

And at the insane "Club 18," the other evening, I saw radio's Ted Husing ear to ear with Betty Lawford, who takes the suds-bath lightly in that horrid hit, "The Women's Men." I can't remember if Betty is still married to movie director, Monta Bell.

Frances Marion's novel called "Molly, Bless Her," whose lead-in chapter is reminiscent of "Marie Dressler," is going to appear in "Photoplay," editor Ruth Waterbury tells me gleefully!

One of the big stories is blasting away with clothes copied from those worn by the little royal princesses of England—to be found in the 2-6 and 7-12 departments—second floor, modicum! Those little girls at Buckingham Palace are certainly in for it now. They will have to fight Shirley Temple fang and claw for the title of "Junior Mrs. Harrison Williams of the World." Well, may the best moppet win, I say.

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CAPITAL MANNERS

Estranged Husbands and Wives Need Finesse in Handling Social Obligations.

By Margaret Wallace.

SOCIAL relationships of estranged married couples present frequent problems of etiquette. How shall such husbands and wives let their friends know of their changed situations? How shall they respond to social invitations? How shall a woman living apart from her husband be addressed? These questions are raised in recent letters received by this department. One wife writes as follows:

"I have left my husband and established myself in an apartment of my own. I want to let my friends know where I am living. I also wish to let them know that I feel very lonely and would like to continue my social life. How can I properly to telephone these hostesses?"

"My most difficult problem pertains to several large dinners to which my husband and myself are invited. I accepted the invitations for us both before we were estranged. How can I let the hostesses know that I can come but that my husband will not? Do you think it would be better to decline the invitations? Do you think it would be proper to telephone these hostesses?"

Invitations Are Problem.

"I have also issued invitations to a dinner in the name of my husband and myself in honor of some friends who will be in Washington in May. How can I change the invitations and invite the guests to dine with me at my new apartment instead? Do you think I could put a notice in the society column that my husband is going away and I have taken an apartment for the spring? This might give my friends the information that we are separated."

It will be proper for this woman to insert a notice in the society column that she has taken an apartment for the season. Since she is estranged from her husband she should call herself by her maiden surname and her married name instead of using her husband's initials. Thus Mrs. John Smith, said to be Mrs. While Smith. It would not be good form to include the estranged husband in such a notice by saying "he has gone away."

It would be good form to send regrets for the dinners even though acceptances have been sent before. These regrets should also contain an apology for sending regrets after accepting the hostesses' kind invitations. This tactful hostess will understand, especially as she will not doubt soon learn of the estrangement or read the fact between the lines of the regret. It is also good form to telephone an explanation to the hostesses or to call on them and explain. If the facts of the estrangement are to be known to the friends and public alike, it would not be good form to give a fictitious excuse such as illness or absence from Washington.

Explain to Guests.

In regard to the dinner which was to have been given by the husband and wife jointly in honor of visiting friends in Washington, it would be proper to write to the guests of honor and explain the circumstances to them, and the change of address. If they accept the invitation to dine with the estranged wife at her apartment then the guests who had been invited to the dinner could be notified that the first dinner has been cancelled and that Mrs. John Smith will entertain in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Out-of-Town at her apartment on the same date.

QUERY—I have separated from my husband. I work in an office and have not told my business associates of my estrangement. They often inquire about my husband and invite him places with me. Do you think I should write notes to them

or do you think I could inform one or two and tell them they are at liberty to tell the others? Are there such things as separation or divorce notices?

ANSWER—It would be good form to tell a few of the people in the office that you are separated from your husband. You can tell them they can inform the rest. Of course, it is never good form to discuss such private matters in a business establishment, so it is well-bred to keep to a mere statement of fact. There are no such things as divorce or separation notices in any proper etiquette code.

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Or are you wishing you hadn't fallen for the green-and-rust fad? Keep your cooling greens for summer and cover the harsh rust leaves on a vivid blue ground.

A simple way to work out a sparkling new color scheme is to choose a gay patterned chintz that goes with the furnishings you can't afford to change. Cover one chair or sofa in the patterned chintz, other pieces in plain or small patterned fabrics of different color in the chintz design. And do break up that "parlor suite" by covering the sofa and each of the two over-stuffed chairs in unlike but harmonizing fabrics.

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By Rebekah Blake.

THE MIXED GRILL has long been a favorite in hotels and restaurants, but only recently has this dish been given the prominent place it deserves on home menus. Perhaps housewives have not realized what an easily prepared and satisfying whole meal the mixed grill affords. It is the entire main course of the meal all in one and may be prepared quickly with only a few utensils necessary for preparing and serving. So you see, time is saved in dish washing too.

The mixed grill is cooked by grilling or broiling. Any meats or vegetables which can be cooked by this method may be included, and even those such as potatoes, which need longer cooking, may be par-boiled first and added to the grill. Lamb chops, little link sausages, tomatoes stuffed with whole corn or green peas and potatoes which have been partially cooked in water and then sprinkled with grated cheese are an excellent combination for the grilled platter. This makes a well-balanced combination both from the standpoint of food value and flavor—and a colorful plate too.

Chops May Be Used.

Either rib or loin lamb chops may be used for the mixed grill. If loin chops are used, they should be cut three-fourths to one inch thick so that the outside can be nicely browned while the inside is tender and juicy, and slightly pink. If rib chops are used, they should be cut one inch thick. To grill lamb chops to perfection, place them on a rack in a thoroughly preheated broiling oven, far enough from the flame or heating element to prevent charring. They will be half done. When browned on one side, season the chops with salt and pepper, turn and allow to finish cooking. When the lamb chops are turned, add the sausages, potatoes and stuffed tomatoes to the grill as this will allow sufficient time to cook the sausage and heat the vegetables. It will be necessary to turn the sausages in order that they become evenly cooked and browned.

Bacon, too, is often added to the mixed grill during the last few minutes of cooking, so that it will become crisp and evenly done. Sweetbreads, which have been par-boiled in boiling salted water, and kidneys are specialties which are frequently featured on the grill. In fact, any meats which are broiled may be chosen for this type of service. Mushroom caps, peach halves, pineapple slices and bananas are other foods which add variety to the mixed grill. Select different vegetable combinations, for there are many fresh vegetables now on the market to choose from.

Fruit Cup as an Entree.

Since the mixed grill means that the whole main course of the meal is prepared in the broiler oven, there is little else to plan. You may want to include a fruit cup or soup as an entree and a crisp salad. This might be a green salad with a piquant dressing, or perhaps at this time of year you will want to make this a combination of fresh vegetables or a relish plate. A "not-too-heavy" dessert, as prune whip or ice cream, bread and butter and a beverage are all that are needed to complete a grilled meal.

WEEK-END MENUS

LUNCHEON—SATURDAY.

Baked lima beans
Prune Bran Bread.
Cheese and nut balls in orange jelly
Chocolate milk

DINNER—SATURDAY.

Split pea soup
Broiled liver
Creamed onions
Asparagus en casserole
Broccoli with Hollandaise sauce
Hot rolls
Coffee
Rhubarb pie

BREAKFAST—SUNDAY.

Pineapple juice
Hominy grits
Country sausage
Toast, butter
Milk

Oyster celery cocktail
Roast duck, stuffing
Brown gravy
Mashed potatoes
Brussels sprouts
Hearts of celery—Radishes
Hot rolls
Coffee
Gingerbread with whipped cream

SUPPER—SUNDAY.

Almond rarebit
Tiny sardine sandwiches
Marshmallow pineapple salad
Hot chocolate

PRUNE BRAN BREAD.

Stone and chop 1/4 cup soaked or cooked prunes and add 1 cup bran, 1 cup sour milk and 1 tablespoon molasses. Sift in 1 1/2 cups flour mixed with 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1/4 teaspoon baking powder, 3/4 teaspoon salt and one-third cup sugar. Put in greased tin, cover and steam three hours surrounded with boiling water.

Bacon-and-Egg Recipe.

A new way to prepare bacon and eggs: Line each mold of a muffin tin with a thin slice of bacon, break an egg in each mold, salt and pepper, and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) until bacon is crisp and eggs done. Serve on toast.—Mrs. E. C. Atkinson, Birmingham, Ala.

How to Hang Pictures.

To prevent pictures from slipping and hanging unevenly, first hang them facing the wall, then turn over, thus choosing the wires. They will never slip.—Rev. Clyde W. Ehrhardt, Minneapolis, Minn.

Mixed Grill Is Main Dinner Course



A mixed meat and vegetable grill saves time, utensils and fuel and serves as the entire main course of a dinner. Loin lamb chops, link sausages, parboiled potatoes with grated cheese and tomatoes stuffed with whole grain corn make an interesting and colorful plate but other meats or vegetables may be substituted for any of these.

PLEASANT HOMES

By Elizabeth MacRae Boykin.

WE EXPECT to be snubbed today by any readers who remember when spring house cleaning was a really self-respecting job. All hand work, including the rug-beating and the scrubbing on your knees and the washboard rubbing. Now, in a larger sense, we don't really spring house-clean at all, because we keep our houses cleaner as we go along—no disrespect intended.

Nevertheless, there are some big annual furies needed, even in our hygienic lives. And they come most easily at the time when the house is being slip-covered and summer curtains and made ready for hot weather. Here are some tips on putting your rugs in good condition.

If you've carpet-swept them daily and vacuumed them weekly, stroking with the pile, they're not any spring-house-cleaning problem at spring house-cleaning time. But there are probably spots, matted in places caused by heavy furniture legs, curled corners, worn places or cigarette burns. Every two or three years it will be a wise economy to send the rugs to a rug-cleaning establishment. But when you must do it yourself, you will find that a light sponging with a reliable rug-cleaning fluid that evaporates quickly will help a lot. For some spots, mild soap and water is satisfactory, then use a dampened soapy sponge on the spot, taking care not

to get the spot too wet. Rinse the soap out well and dry with cheesecloth, brushing the pile up when you're through.

For grease spots, saturate stains with carbon tetrachloride, then rub and dry well with a clean cloth. For ink stains, rub a moist crystal of citric acid on the spot till it is gone. Remove acid at once with cold water. Use gasoline to take gum out.



Some animal stains can be removed with cold water left to be soaked up by the wool of the rug. Others will have to have the spot touched up with dye mixed with denatured alcohol. When the pile of a rug has been matted by furniture legs, put a damp cloth over the dents and steam with a hot iron. Do the same for corners that curl. A reweaving man is the only cure for burns. Turn the rug at intervals so that

wear won't come all in one spot. Don't try any shampoos on those new twist-weave rugs (the kind that don't show footmarks). They have to be dry cleaned or their pile may travel.

But if you have a concrete driveway or a porch big enough where you can actually shampoo an ordinary rug with a gentle stream from the garden hose, you can really do a thorough cleaning job. Don't try shampooing a rug in the house where you can't rinse it well. Copyright, 1937, Elizabeth MacRae Boykin.

Bottled Cocktails Ready to Serve Gain Popularity

AS ELY CULBERTSON has pointed out in magazines recently, taking time out to mix cocktails spoils many a promising bridge session. You all know how completely the game's excitement and thrills can be interrupted, while the host or hostess retreats to the pantry to fumble and fuss at mixing drinks. All of which helps to explain why bottled, ready-mixed cocktails are served today at the smartest bridge parties and why their popularity is no passing fad, but a permanent development.

Each bottle of the best-known line of these cocktails supplies 17 or 18 liberal cocktails when properly iced. And "just ice and serve" is all you need to do—no muss, no mess of mixing.

FAVORITE FOODS of famous folk

By Pattie Ellicott.

WHEN Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, whose appointment as United States Minister to Norway is expected momentarily, reaches that northern country she will find great variety in foods served at the hospitable tables of rich and poor alike.

Fish and fowl make up a considerable proportion of the diet natural in this sea-faring land where every home-maker maintains a flock of some kind of domestic fowl with which to enrich the daily meal.

Probably one of the first Norwegian dishes Mrs. Harriman will be privileged to taste will be "duck in jelly." It is a prime favorite in that country and a splendid recipe for making it was given to the Congressional Cook Book by Mme. Halvard H. Bachke, when her husband was Minister of Norway to the United States.

It is prepared as follows:

Duck in Jelly.

1 onion, 1 duck, 5 peppercorns, 1 laurel leaf, 8 leaves gelatin, 1 tablespoon of vinegar, 1 tablespoon of lemon juice, salt and 2 quarts water.

Clean the duck, put it into boiling water, to which spices have been added; boil until the duck gets tender; skim well; take the duck out, slice it, and put the pieces into a mold; dissolve the gelatin in the bouillon and proceed to boil it for half-hour; strain it; skim the fat off very well; add the lemon juice and the vinegar; pour the bouillon over the meat.

Before serving, turn it out on a flat dish, and garnish it with lettuce leaves and lemon. Prepare this the day before serving.

The Best Way To Cook Fish Wins a Prize

THE BEGINNING of the fishing season suggests sea food in the menu. Though oysters are nearly out of season, there are other fish to be found on the market at reasonable prices. Shad is the best buy now but other good values in fish at the present time are sea bass, striped bass, butterfish, cod, flounders, haddock, pollacks and porgies. Scallops are also a good value.

Do you know how to prepare sea food after it has been brought back from a fishing trip or purchased from the market? The Washington Post recipe contest for this week is for sea food recipes. If you have a good one, enter it in the contest and you may win a cash prize. There are \$3 for first prize, \$2 for second prize, and \$1 for each of the remaining three prizes.

You may have a special technique for making pan-fried shrimp or scallops or you may have a special recipe for baked fish, sea food canapés, crab salad, steamed shad, baked haddock, fried halibut, steamed or fried clams or deviled crabs.

Whatever your recipe may be, copy it neatly and send it to Rebekah Blake, The Post Food Editor, so she will receive it not later than Saturday noon. Write your name and address clearly on your recipe.

Only one recipe will be accepted from each contestant.

Drying Handkerchiefs. When pressing is inconvenient, handkerchiefs can be dried without a wrinkle if flattened against a mirror or a window pane while they are wet.

Stains Removal Advice Is Offered

Coffee, Tea Spots Should Be Removed at Once.

Many stains are mixtures of several things, such as the cream, milk and sugar in ice cream. A fat solvent will dissolve the fat in the cream, but not the sugar. This you can take out with lukewarm water, using it in the same way you do the solvent. Use the water sparingly; and repeat the treatment if necessary. If you are not certain how water affects the fabric, try it out first under the hem, or on some other hidden part. When the fabric dries, use the solvent to remove the fat in the stain; the solvent will not do its work if the fabric is damp.

Stains resulting from coffee, tea, cocoa, carbonated drinks and fruit juices should be taken out at once, if possible. Place the stained part over a deep bowl and pour boiling water through the stain. If there was cream in the tea or coffee, use a fat solvent on the stain—after the fabric has become dry.

Many of these stains contain tannin or other coloring material which sets with aging and with heat or soap. This is the reason why some stains may not be detected until the fabric is washed or pressed. Dry cleaners say that the tannin type of stain is one of their most difficult problems. Customers may not have

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known that the garment was stained at all. Yet there is that brown stain which shows up after pressing.

Brazil Nuts Tasty. For a tasty and novel party treat, slice Brazil nuts as you would bread, toast five minutes in a hot oven, then work them around in confectioner's sugar. As a cocktail "cushion" toast and serve whole Brazil nuts in their own butter, or wrap whole nuts in bacon strips and broil.



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Denmark —Pate de Foie, Blue, Tilast, Gruyere cheese.	Portugal —Sardines.
England —Stilton, Cheddar, Cheshire cheese; Brand's pastes, St. Ivel's pastes, Cresca pastes; Bovril, Cooper's marmalade, Peak Frean cakes, Rose's lime marmalade, Robertson's marmalades.	Russia —Caviar.
France —Snails and shells, Barle Duc jelly, Dijon mustard, truffles, Brie, Roquefort and Camembert cheeses.	Scotland —Marshall's Kipperd Herring, C. & B. Scotch Herrings in tomato sauce.
Germany —Alpestra Camembert, Hand Kaese, Kimmel Cheese, Pumpernickel bread and Savita.	Spain —Sardines in olive oil, olives.
Holland —Liver puree and Baste Matured Edams, Baby Gouda and spiced Leyden cheeses.	Sweden —Sardines, rye bread.
Hungary —Puree de Foie Gras.	Switzerland —Swiss, Emmental-Gruyere and Sap Sago cheese.
Ireland —Oat meal.	Ceylon —House of Lords Tea.
Italy —Anchovies, olive oil, salami, Gorgonzola, Bel Paese, Reggiano cheeses.	China —Ginger, cumquats, mixed fruits, Smokey Sou-chong, Jasmine, black, orange pekoe, oolong teas.
Norway —Gjetost, Bifrost, Noekelost cheeses, Cod Roe paste, sandwich spread, Kippers, anchovy paste, flat bread, shrimps, sardines.	India —Darjeeling tea, Major Gray's Chutney.
THE FOOD SHOP, FIFTH FLOOR	Japan —Basket Fired tea, smoked salmon, tuna fish.
	Canada —Oka, Cheddar, Maple Leaf cheeses.
	Paraguay —Juno Mate.
	Uruguay —Corned beef.

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Sen. Bachman Dies at Hotel Of Heart Attack

Seizure Is Fatal to Tennessee Democrat Who Succeeded Hull.

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which piled up for him a majority of 150,476. He was re-elected for the six-year term on November 3, 1936, by a majority of 185,537.

In all Senate controversies Bachman voted for Roosevelt policies. However, he was among an approximate third of the Senate roster uncommitted in the current controversy over the Roosevelt court bill.

One of the Senator's major interests among Federal projects was the Tennessee Valley program.

To his colleagues and to thousands of men and women who knew him well, Senator Bachman was recognized as a great raconteur, unexcelled at "plain and fancy yarn spinning."

His dry wit was widely known, especially on the Senate floor and in the Senate cloakrooms.

A native of Chattanooga, Bachman was born August 2, 1878, the son of a Presbyterian minister, Dr. Jonathan Bachman.

Bachman attended Southwestern Presbyterian University. Later he studied at Center College, the University of Chattanooga and Washington and Lee University. He was graduated from the law school of the University of Virginia.

In 1904 Bachman married Miss Pearl McMannen Duke, of Durham, N. C. He entered public life in 1906 when he was named as city attorney of Chattanooga.

Colleagues Express Regret. Bachman was the first Senator to die since the Seventy-fifth Congress convened in January. Senator Peter Norbeck (Republican), of South Dakota, died in December.

Regret was voiced by colleagues over his sudden passing. Among comments were the following: "Senator George (Democrat), Georgia: 'Senator Bachman was one of those intensely human men who endeared himself to his colleagues and who, in the discharge of his duty, without offense but with real courage and fidelity, assumed his full responsibility as a man and as a statesman in all matters of importance.'"

Senator Barkley (Democrat), Kentucky: "He was a faithful, hard-working public servant. He devoted to the performance of his duties a keen intellect, highly educated and trained. He had a sincere belief in the people, and at all times exerted a wholesome influence on his colleagues and the public generally."

Representative Taylor "Shocked." Representative Taylor (Republican), Tennessee: "I am greatly shocked. Senator Bachman and I were personal friends for many years. His death is a great loss to the State and the Nation."

Senator Logan (Democrat), Kentucky: "I have known Senator Bachman for many years. He was very able and one of the finest Southern gentlemen I have known. He was retiring and did not try to push himself forward, but he was a very able man."

Surviving Bachman are his wife and a daughter, Mrs. Thomas A. McCoy, of Asheville, N. C.

Miss Belle Bocock Funeral Held Here

Funeral services for Miss Belle N. Bocock, daughter of Thomas S. Bocock, a member of Congress here before the Civil War, were held yesterday at the Hines undertaking establishment, with burial in Rock Creek Cemetery.

Miss Bocock, who died Thursday, was in her eighties and had been a resident of Washington for many years, holding a Government position until she retired about 10 years ago.

Her father, who was a member of Congress from 1847 to 1861, later was Speaker of the Confederate Congress. Miss Bocock was born at Appomattox, Va.

She is survived by a half-sister, Mrs. William A. Roberts, of Chase City, Va., and a half-brother, W. P. Bocock, of Appomattox.

M. C. Sherbert, 64, Rites Are Today

The funeral of Maurice Childs Sherbert, 64, an employee of the Capital Transit Co., who died Wednesday night in Sibley Hospital, will be held this afternoon at his home, 821 F street northeast, at 1 o'clock. Additional services will be held at 2:30 o'clock at Mount Harmony Church, Calvert County, Md., with burial in Mount Harmony Cemetery.

A native of Calvert County, Sherbert had been a motorman for 27 years.

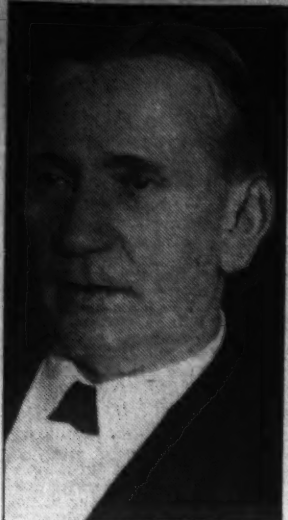
He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lydia Virginia Sherbert; five daughters, Mrs. Addie E. Muncie, Mrs. Ella M. Snellings, Mrs. Mary J. Moore and Miss F. Virginia Sherbert, all of Washington, and Mrs. Alice R. Boone, of Baltimore; a son, Maurice Henry Sherbert, of Washington; a sister, Mrs. Ella Howard, of Baltimore, and three grandsons.

Rites Will Be Monday For Col. P. N. Bowman

Burial services for Lieut. Col. Paul N. Bowman, Army Medical Corps, will be held at Arlington Cemetery Monday at 10 a. m. Col. Bowman died Sunday at Fitzsimons General Hospital.

Interment will be with full military honors in Section 6 of the cemetery with Chaplain Ora J. Cobee officiating. The following Medical Corps officers will serve as honorary pallbearers: Lieut. Col. Oramel H. Stanley, Maj. James P. Crawford, Maj. Charles R. Mueller, Maj. Robert F. Bradish, Capt. Frank B. Wakeman and Capt. H. Hinton Drummond.

Senator Dies



Post Staff Photo.
SENATOR NATHAN L. BACHMAN.

W. Forbes Morgan Rites Are Held

Headed by President and Mrs. Roosevelt, a host of dignitaries yesterday attended the funeral of W. Forbes Morgan, 58, former treasurer of the Democratic National committee, at St. Thomas Episcopal Church. Morgan, who was president of the Distilled Spirits Institute, died Tuesday.

Members of the Cabinet and both houses of Congress, the Diplomatic Corps and ranking officials of the Federal and New York State governments attended.

Services were conducted by the Rev. Howard G. Wilkinson, pastor of the church, before an altar banked high with floral tributes from the White House and many parts of the Nation.

The body was taken to Morgan's home at Tivoli, N. Y., for burial.

Capt. Fred Ingalls, 38, Air Corps, Dies in West

Capt. Fred A. Ingalls, 38, Army Air Corps, died Wednesday at Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, Calif., the War Department announced yesterday. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Nora A. Ingalls, and three children, Robert A., James M., and Margaret A. Ingalls, all of Moffett Field, Calif., where he was stationed.

Capt. Ingalls entered the Army as private in 1918, later entering the Military Academy in 1920, being commissioned a second lieutenant in the Air Service in 1924. He was promoted to first lieutenant in 1929 and to captain in 1935. He had no detail of service in Washington.

D. C. Banker in Nanking.

Nanking, China, April 23 (AP).—Warren L. Pierson, president of the Import and Export Bank of Washington, arrived today for a "general survey of the China trade."

22 Are Seized In 3 Numbers, Racing Raids

Lieut. Lutz and Squad Visit Establishments in Northwest.

Raids on alleged numbers and horse-racing gambling establishments netted more than a score of persons yesterday as police struck three times in Northwest Washington.

Early in the afternoon a squad which has plagued gambling houses for the last several months, under Lieut. Lutz, of the Second Precinct, entered 1345 R street northwest and arrested four persons.

Alleged horse-race gambling equipment and numbers slips were seized, police said. One white man and three colored men were arrested.

After the persons seized had been removed to the precinct station, Lutz and his squad visited 1827 Seventh street, and, acting on two warrants, raided the first and third floors.

Here numbers paraphernalia was taken by police along with 17 colored men and one colored woman. Sixteen were on the first floor, two on the third.

While Lutz was at work, Lieut. Lawrence Beale, of administrative headquarters, led a squad to the 4500 block of Fifteenth street.

Lincoln Temple To Hear Dr. Long

Dr. Howard H. Long, chief examiner in the public schools, will address members of the Men's Brotherhood of Lincoln Congregational Temple at 10 a. m. tomorrow. Dr. R. W. Brooks, pastor, will give a sermon at 11 a. m. on "Courage for the Unknown."

Howard University. Dr. Mordecai W. Johnson, president of the university, will speak at 11 a. m. services in Andrew Rankin Memorial Chapel.

Second Baptist. The Rev. M. A. Hunter, former pastor of Rocky Mount, N. C. Baptist Church, will preach at 11 a. m. At the evening hour the Rev. J. T. Smith, of Washington, will occupy the pulpit.

Wesley A. M. E. Zion. The Rev. Stephen Spotswood, pastor, preaches at 11 a. m. on "I Have Overcome" and at 8 p. m. on "Titus."

Parents of Child Jailed In Death From Beating

Roseburg, Oreg., April 23 (AP).—Leonard Hopkins and his wife, Cordelia, were jailed today on a joint charge of involuntary manslaughter in the death of 4-year-old Barbara Irena Hopkins.

A coroner's jury last night reported the child died "from external violence committed by Leonard Hopkins, her father, or Cordelia Hopkins, her step-mother, or by both." Dr. D. E. Faxon told of finding 17 bruises on the child.

What's Going On And Where

Luncheons.

Society of Women Descendants of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery of Boston, Washington Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Luncheon—Michigan Group, Absentee Voters' Bureau, National Press Club, 1:30 p. m.
Luncheon—Lawyers' Manresa Group, National Press Club, 12:30 p. m.

Dinners.

Phillips Exeter Academy Alumni Association, Army and Navy Club, 7 p. m.
Georgetown Dental School, Hotel Hamilton, 8 p. m.

Government Printing Office, Willard Hotel, 7:30 p. m.
Banquet—Women's Bar Association, Mayflower Hotel, 7 p. m.

Meetings.

Texas Company, Hotel Hamilton, 10 a. m.
National Capital Skeet Club, Hotel Hamilton, 8:30 p. m.

Philosophical Society of Washington, Cosmos Club, 8:15 p. m.
Project Committee, National Rivers and Harbors Congress, Mayflower Hotel, 10 a. m.

Dances.

Government Printing Office, Willard Hotel, 9 p. m.

Young Democratic Club of Washington, Willard Hotel, 10 p. m.
Phi Sigma Sigma Sorority, Willard Hotel, 10 p. m.

'Urgency' Subject Of Dr. Rasmussen

Continuing his series of sermons preceding Pentecost, Dr. Carl C. Rasmussen, pastor at Luther Place Church, has selected as his subject "Urgency Waits for God." This message will be delivered at the 11 a. m. service tomorrow.

The Intermediate Luther League at Luther place will be guests at a union supper meeting at St. Paul's Lutheran Church tomorrow evening. Miss Hazel M. Anderson will be the guest speaker.

The Christian Endeavor group will hear Dr. Rasmussen at their meeting tomorrow evening.

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A PROMISING FUTURE

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Crab—Chicken and Fish Dinners

Bob Burns Says

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By Bob Burns.

Every day when you pick up a paper and you read in the society column about two people getting married, you can be pretty sure that they are marry-in' either for love, wealth or social position. At the same time there are a lot of poor folks gettin' married, but you never give 'em a thought because they don't get their names in the paper, but you can be pretty sure the same idea is back of that weddin', too.

I use to have one uncle that never amounted to anything. He was as poor as Job's turkey. One day he got married and I asked him how he happened to marry that girl and he says, "Well, in the first place, I saw she was beautiful, but I didn't care nothin' about that, but when I learned she was takin' in washings for seven families, I just surrendered."

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THE FEDERAL DIARY

Reg. U. S. Patent Office.

By Scott Hart.

A Reminder.

The problems that arise in vacation time occur now, in advance, to F. C. A. personnel leaders, who point them out and prescribe means of easing up on some of the situations. This period, says the F. C. A. Bulletin, "always presents problems in the way of temporarily replacing persons who are on leave. So far as it is possible, it is anticipated that the various operating divisions will meet this problem with their own personnel, by making shifts from one office to another within the division, by a certain amount of doubling up of work and such."

But the fact is recognized, says the Bulletin, that situations will arise, particularly in some of the smaller divisions and sections, where it will be necessary to call upon the stenographic section or the mail room for details. "The fact should be borne in mind that these two sections, within themselves, have problems of absent personnel during summer vacation, and that they are distinctly limited in the number of requests for details that they can meet."

It will be "decidedly in the interest of your own office, as well as in the interest of the organization as a whole, if you will give written notice to the Personnel Office at least two weeks in advance of any detail that you anticipate needing during the vacation period. As a matter of fact, such advance notice is at all times in the interest of orderly administration."

It's certainly worth a paragraph when someone makes the Secretary of State look like a fool. It happened just recently. Reporters, while waiting a press conference with the Secretary became embroiled in an argument that resulted in the leaving of the Secretary, while the issue was being settled, the Secretary waited a full ten minutes, it's said.

Officers nominated by the District of Columbia Federation of Federal Employees Union stack up, as follows: Joseph Stansfield, president; W. E. Hoffmann, vice president; Grace Reardon, secretary-treasurer, and John W. Ginder, trustee. Ginder also was nominated as a delegate to the national convention of the N. F. F. E., which will be held in Springfield, Ill., this fall. Stansfield was chosen as alternate. The District Federation has sent a letter to the national secretary of the N. F. F. E. congratulating the national organizers for the work they did in passing the 600 mark in local unions.

The Farm Credit Administration Employees Union and the Social Security Board Union invite all F. C. A. employees to join them in a cycling trip tomorrow. Likewise, the F. C. A. calls attention to its dance this evening in the Raleigh Hotel.

Friends of Mrs. Ethel L. Thompson, of the press section, War Department, are wishing her a pleasant visit to Bermuda.

Incidentally, those Indians who came here this week to appear before a House sub-committee might go on the stage as quick-change artists. They were seen going in street clothes, into their rooming houses, and almost immediately, with Houdini swiftness, they reappeared in the most elaborate Indian regalia. Also, they showed a disinclination to be photographed on the streets, but were eager enough to pose in Representative Case's private office. One of them asked a newspaper photographer to send him copies of the pictures. They could keep "straight faces" in front of the camera; venerable old chiefs laughed and giggled like school kids and kept up a furious animation with their hands.

The In-Com-Co Club, composed of Interstate Commerce Commission employees, will hold its third talent night program at 8 o'clock, May 24, in the Departmental Auditorium. The director of music is ready now to receive the names of those who wish to participate in the program. If you can sing, dance, play a musical instrument or possess theatrical talent of any kind, you are asked to communicate with H. M. Brown, Room 2352, branch 630.

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At Hospitals Appeal Luncheon Here



The United Hospitals Emergency Appeal luncheon at the Mayflower Hotel yesterday drew a distinguished group of citizens. Left to right: The Rev. Calvert E. Buck, superintendent of the Episcopal Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital; Mrs. L. Bryson Norris, Rabbi Abram Simon and Charles D. Drayton, president of Children's Hospital.

Senate Group Approves Plan On Retirement

Optional Proposal for U.S. Legislative Workers Win Committee Backing.

An optional retirement plan for legislative employees, already passed by the House, was approved yesterday by the Senate Civil Service Committee along with two minor measures.

The committee referred to a sub-committee the House bill to place postmasters under civil service after receipt of a letter from Postmaster General James A. Farley recommending several amendments.

Chairman Bulow stated that the McCarran pay raise bill was discussed, but that it was the consensus of the committee that a promised report on personnel and administrative matters is submitted to Congress by the President.

The two minor bills reported by the committee clarify the law with regard to legal residence certification for applicants for civil service positions and extend retirement payment of back dues covering their length of service.

The measure does not place the legislative employees under civil service and is not mandatory as to retirement.

Procedure Outlined.

Under the legislative retirement bill all employees of members of Congress or legislative branches of the Government will be accorded retirement pension privileges upon payment of back dues covering their length of service.

The measure does not place the legislative employees under civil service and is not mandatory as to retirement.

While Postmaster General Farley endorsed the civil service bill affecting first, second and third class postmasters, he objected to a provision which would require the Postmaster General to certify to the Civil Service Commission that no one in an office is qualified to fill a vacant position before an open competitive examination.

Otherwise the post must be filled by reappointment of the incumbent or by promotion from within the office.

"It would not be practicable or in the interest of the service to require the Postmaster General to make any such certification before an open competitive examination could be requested," Farley stated in his letter.

He suggested that the third method of selection might be "by selection from an eligible roster established by the Civil Service Commission in accordance with the civil service law in the same manner as appointments are made for other civil service jobs."

Representative Jones (Democrat), of Texas, yesterday introduced a bill to provide that appointments to civil service positions outside the District be restricted to persons who have resided in the region where the job is located a year prior to appointment.

Bill Is Introduced For National Boat Organization Here

Washington, whose channel is recent years has attracted an increasing number of yachts, will become the headquarters of a national yacht organization if a bill introduced yesterday in the House becomes a law.

Sponsored by Representative O'Leary (Democrat), of New York, a measure proposing to make the United States Power Squadron a "body politic" of the District of Columbia was referred to the House District Committee.

The purpose of the organization, the bill stated, is "to establish a high standard of skill in handling and navigation of yachts."

Its directors also propose to cooperate with various Federal agencies in promoting the science of navigation.

The District setup will take over all the assets of the United States Power Squadron, Inc., of Massachusetts, the bill states.

Among the scope of incorporators listed are the following who give a Washington residence:

Arthur Middleton, Dr. A. B. Bennett and Daniel H. Fowler.

The others reside in various cities of the Eastern Seaboard.

Shakespeare Critics Given Witty Rebuke

Prof. Kittredge Divides Them Into 4 Classes; Assails 'Allegory.'

George Lyman Kittredge, professor emeritus of English literature at Harvard University and the country's oracle on Elizabethan drama, sharpened his wit last night and plunged it deep into Shakespeare's critics.

Bearing an uncanny resemblance, both in beard and lashing tongue, to George Bernard Shaw, Kittredge came to the Folger Shakespearean Library to help celebrate the 373rd anniversary of Shakespeare's birth.

After declaring esthetic and psychological critics who seek "Shakespeare's" higher, broader, "flatter meaning" should be driven "to the lamp-post," Kittredge revealed that his fundamental complaints were four:

1. Against those who read Shakespeare with their eyes shut.
2. Against those who ignore the context of Shakespeare's plays.
3. Against those who try "to discover the undiscoverable."
4. Against those who do not read the plays at all.

A chance remark that "no lower animals should appear on the stage" caused Franz Horn, the well-known critic, to bear the attack made on the first group. A glint in his eye and a satiric, impatient smile on his lips, Kittredge quoted a stage direction from "A Winter's Tale." "Exit—pursued by a bear," it said.

The attack on the second group, whom Kittredge described as "generally aberrated," fell on no single individual. In "Macbeth" one of the witches declares "like a rat I will sink your ship." Many critics have indicated the witch meant she would know a hole in the bottom of the boat and thus flood it. Kittredge differed with them, however. The witch meant "nothing more nor less," he said, "than that she would assume the shape of a rat, get aboard the ship, and from that vantage point, bewitch it."

Denies Allegory Theory.

In the third group Kittredge included all those who interpret all of Shakespeare's plays as "veiled allegories." At various times critics have said "Hamlet" was the life of James I. and Macbeth the life of Barthold and Mary of Scotland. In refutation of the "allegory" theory, he demonstrated how "Romeo and Juliet" might be made to represent the romance of Lady Frances Howard and Robert Carr. The difficulty was, he said, only in the dates. "Romeo and Juliet" was written in 1595; the Howard-Carr romance occurred in 1606.

The attack on the fourth group was borne by Samuel Taylor Coleridge, author of "The Ancient Mariner." Coleridge was described as a man whose "great creative imagination interfered with his ability to criticize." Coleridge at one time had declared the character Iago in the play "Othello" was unmotivated. Kittredge, however, by carefully chosen selections from the play, easily demonstrated the motivation.



Found Tenant for Room 1st Day Ad Appeared in Post

Vacancies aren't permanent in the home of Mrs. E. O. L. of Ashbury Place N.W. When she had a vacancy the other day, Mrs. E. O. L. placed this inexpensive ad in The Post—

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—and the first morning the ad appeared a prospect appeared who rented the room. The quickest way to rent a room or apartment is thru a Post Want Ad. If you have a vacancy, call

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Maj. Gist Blair Named Head of Hospital Board

Other Officers Elected to Direct Affairs at Emergency.

Maj. Gist Blair was elected president of the board of directors of Emergency Hospital yesterday.

At the board's annual meeting, Maj. Blair was named to succeed the late Karl W. Corby. Since Mr. Corby's death last February, Maj. Blair has served as president pro tem.

Six new members of the board also were elected and the following officers were re-elected:

William F. Gude, vice president, and George W. White, treasurer. Dr. Alexander B. Moore was named secretary, succeeding Dr. A. R. Sands, who is retiring after 28 years of service.

The new directors include Mrs. Karl W. Corby, Stanley D. Willis, W. W. Spaid, Dr. Sterling Ruffin, George Angus Garrett and Roger J. Whitford.

The board also announced the retirement of \$25,000 in bonded indebtedness, made possible through donations to the hospital.

Two local banks, holding \$15,000 mortgages on the institution's property, have agreed to reduce the interest rate from 6 to 5 per cent, it was reported.

During the first three months of this year, the hospital's income was \$134,932.03, and expenses were \$137,147.84, leaving a deficit of \$2,215.81.

The following medical staff also was named:

Dr. James F. Mitchell, chief of staff, in charge of surgery; Dr. Edward R. Gookin, eye service; Dr. William B. Mason, nose and throat; Dr. H. A. Fowler, genito-urinary; Dr. H. L. Darnier, gynecology; Dr. John John Shugrue, neuro surgery; Dr. G. W. Leadbetter, orthopedics; Dr. Montgomery Blair, pediatrics.

Dr. E. Moran, plastic surgery; Dr. E. A. Catritz, proctology; Dr. H. M. Kaufman, medicine; Dr. James A. Lyons and James W. Wesler, cardiology; Dr. C. A. Simpson, H. P. Anderson and Herman Kittredge, dermatologists; Dr. Lester Neuman, pathology; Dr. Roger S. Cohen, psychiatry; Dr. A. B. Moore, radiologist; Dr. Joseph Kreiselman, Dr. Charles Stanley White, Dr. J. Burr Pigott was named director of the dispensary staff.

The following members of the board of directors were re-elected:

Maj. Gist Blair, Mrs. Woodbury Blair, Charles Henry Butler, Harry Freeman Clark, Dr. William E. Clark, Mrs. James C. Clark, H. L. Danforth, George E. Fleming, Mrs. Sherman Flint, Dr. R. A. Fowler, Mrs. James Carroll Fraser, Dr. Edward R. Gookin, Admiral Cary T. Grayson, William F. Gude, F. S. Hight, Mrs. H. E. Kaufman, Harry King, Dr. Joseph Kreiselman, John O. LaGorce, Dr. G. W. Leadbetter, C. C. Long, Dr. C. C. Marbury, Dr. William B. Mason, Mrs. Rose Meridian, Benjamin B. Minor, Dr. James F. Mitchell, Dr. A. B. Moore, Dr. Thomas E. Neill, H. L. East, Mrs. George E. Neill, R. H. Shands, Marie Thorpe, Mrs. Floyd Wasserman, Dr. John W. Warner, Dr. Charles Stanley White, George W. White.

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EMBASSY DAIRY

Capital Faces Hospital Loss, Cleric Warns

Lack of Funds May Force One Institution to Shut Doors.

Rev. C. E. Buck Pleads for United Appeal Support.

An impassioned warning that failure of the current United Hospital Appeal may mean the closing of at least one private hospital in the Capital was sounded yesterday by the Rev. Calvert E. Buck, Superintendent of Episcopal Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital, Rev. Mr. Buck appealed to the board members of the nine united voluntary hospitals to redouble their efforts to "cover the top" in the campaign for \$120,000.

It was announced that approximately \$11,000 had been pledged to date. The drive is scheduled to close May 1, Child Health Day. "We are facing a real crisis," Rev. Mr. Buck said. "If somebody in this city does not get busy and do something for the poor and sick of Washington, they are going to face real need. It is not beyond the realm of possibility that if something isn't done at least one of the private hospitals is going to have to close its doors because as long as they stay open they cannot refuse to aid anyone who applies for help."

"The hospitals of Washington are caring for thousands of very day from whom they are receiving no support. Washingtonians must be made to realize what sort of contributions the doctors and hospitals are making."

Every time somebody is taken care of, it is adding to the bulwark of protection for every man, woman and child in Washington.

Mrs. Leo E. Norris, president of the Ladies Board of Georgetown University Hospital, announced that a benefit performance of the play, "Loyalties," by the university's Masque and Bauble Club had netted \$3,006.50 for the drive.

Zone captains for badge day on May 1 were announced by Clark Diamond. They are Henry Lawrence Choate, Col. P. M. Ashburn, Mrs. Clifford Banks, Col. E. G. Bliss, Miss Laura Cook, Mrs. D. Lawrence Groener, Mrs. Pierce Van Vleck, Mrs. Charles D. Drayton, Mrs. J. L. B. Murray and Miss Anne Carter Greene.

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Wanderbirds to Hike.

The Wanderbirds Hiking Club will hike in the Great Falls region tomorrow, following the Billy Goat Scenic Trail for about 6 miles. They will meet at 1416 F street at 9:30 a. m. and will be led by Dr. Ulke.

Excel in School Grammar Contest



Here are the winners in the Gonzaga High School English grammar bee scholarship competition: Left to right, Paul Murdock, 13, of 2306 Sixteenth street southeast, St. Teresa's School, two-year scholarship; Edward Connors, 12, of 2332 Second street northeast, Holy Name School, four-year scholarship, and Robert Mulvihill, 13, of 1223 Kennedy street northwest, Nativity School, two-year scholarship. Seventy-two eighth grade students competed.

House Exhibit Tolstoy Played Will Be Given A Double Role, At St. John's Daughter Says

Display Sponsored to Show How One-Third of City Exists. Countess Pictures Father as Philosopher, Artist in Lecture Here.

"Housing conscious" religious and social groups will have an exhibit at the Parish Hall of St. John's Church next week.

Sponsors of the affair is to show how one-third of the city's population exists and how the other two-thirds are affected by such living conditions.

Material of the exhibit, along with the churches of many denominations, are the Washington Housing Association, the Alley Dwelling Authority, the National Capital Planning Commission, the Public Works Administration Housing Division and the Resettlement Administration.

To the formal opening of the exhibit, which will take place Monday evening at 8:30 o'clock, have been invited hundreds of civic, social and religious leaders.

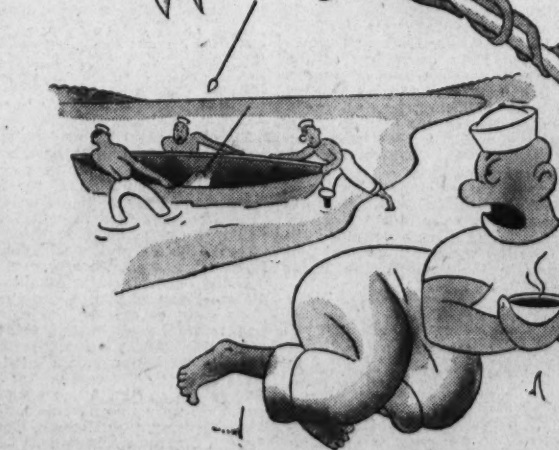
Material will be on view at the parish hall tomorrow through next Saturday, from noon until 5:30 o'clock on in the afternoon.

Models of the PWA's low-rent housing project, Layton Terrace, now under construction on Benning road; a model of the Greenbelt Village and photographs of slum conditions and new projects of the Alley Dwelling Authority will be included in the exhibit.

Later the exhibit will be shown at several other churches throughout Washington, whose pastors are co-operating with the committee on church participation, of which the Rev. James F. Madison of St. John's Church is chairman. Ex-officio member of this committee is Canon Anson Phelps Stokes, president of the Washington Housing Association.

Dr. J. A. Nolan to Speak.

Dr. James A. Nolan, of the Criminal Justice Association, will speak under the auspices of the National Education Forum tomorrow at 3 p. m. at 2230 California street northwest. His subject will be "Crime in the District." There will be a discussion period following the lecture.



"What's the hurry? I haven't even started this cup of Wilkins Coffee"

Church Area Liquor Sale Hearing Set

A. B. C. Board Will Hear Interested Persons on Thursday.

Elimination of 400-Foot Restriction in Law Is Proposed.

An A. B. C. Board hearing to determine whether liquor places shall be permitted to locate within 400 feet of business area churches will be held Thursday, it was learned yesterday from the District Commissioners.

Reason for the hearing is a pending amendment to the District's liquor law which would give the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board power to grant Class A licenses for such liquor places. The Class A license allows the sale of bottled liquors of all kinds.

A number of civic spokesmen, church leaders and attorneys for the liquor dealers have been asked to attend the hearing, to be held at 10 a. m. in the District Building.

Recommended by Board.

This change in the present law has been recommended by the A. B. C. Board. Commenting, Mrs. Agnes K. Mason, vice chairman, said, "We made such a recommendation because liquor stores are not open on Sundays."

It has been reported a Class A license is being sought for a store in the new Trans-Lux Theater Building, Fourteenth street and New York avenue. The building is within 400 feet of the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church.

In addition, Mrs. Mason, declaring a number of requests for licenses had been rejected because of the 400-foot rule, said it was the position of the board "undue hardship" was worked on persons planning to engage in the liquor business within 400 feet of business area churches.

Schools Not Affected

The proposed amendment refers only to churches in the business area. Schools, therefore, would not be affected. The proposal was laid before the Commissioners last week, but was made public after yesterday's board meeting.

Among those expected to be present at Thursday's hearing are: Wilbur La Roe, Jr., of the Civic Affairs Committee of the Washington Federation of Churches; the Right Rev. James E. Freeman, Bishop of Washington; the Most Rev. Michael J. Hurley, Archbishop of Baltimore; Rabbi Abram Simon, Rabbi Moshe H. Levinson, Thomas E. Lodge, president of the Federation of Citizens Associations; Hugh V. Kaiser, of the Central Business Men's Association; E. D. Shaw, secretary of the Merchants and Manufacturers Association; and the following attorneys for the liquor dealers: I. Brill, Albert Levin, David Hornstein, Milford F. Schwartz, Manuel Davis and F. Joseph Donoghue.

Two District Students Win Law Scholarships

Elton Atwater, of American University, and Fergus Berlinger, of Georgetown University, have received scholarships from the division of international law of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace to study this summer at the Academy of International Law at The Hague, it was announced yesterday.

The academy's fifteenth session will be July 5 to August. The students, of which there will be several hundred, will represent many nationalities.

A Tense Drama And Heidt Band On Earle Bill

Combination Arouses the
Enthusiasm of Your
Eager Critic.

"INTERIORS CAN'T TAKE MONEY." Permanent picture of a story by Ben Hecht, adapted to the screen by Ben Hecht and John McCrea, with Lloyd Nolan, Jeanette MacDonald, and Barbara Stanwyck. Opening at the Capitol Theatre Friday afternoon at 2:30.

Sewing up scenes of bustling hearts—Joel McCrea's just as handy at one as the other in "Interiors Can't Take Money," a picture that easily rates the higher entertainment brackets.

But if this intense open weren't so compelling, Horace Heidt and his Brigadiers (and brigadiers) would top the show instead of tying with the screen feature. Heidt and his musical cohort (as the Earle ad so terrifically puns) are really the Heidt of entertainment. In fact, they're way up in the stratosphere of stage hits.

In tackling the cost-of-living as well as the love problems of interiors, "Interiors Can't Take Money" follows the current prize-winning trend of realism. More people should know that those white-coated young doctors you see around hospitals have to get along on \$10 a month after eight years in college and medical school. Wrapping up this fact in a few reels of amusing and thrilling celluloid, with not even a hint of preachment, is a feat to Hollywood's credit.

Crackling Action. Hospital and underworld atmospheres mingle in crackling action. Joel McCrea, as a doctor, treats her in a free clinic. Then he is puzzled by meeting her in a distracted condition in a nearby beer house. Later, he is then puzzled when she picks his pocket of \$1,000 sent him by a grateful gangster, but which he must return because "interiors can't take money."

The answer is that Barbara Stanwyck is not only pretty fine, but better than she has been for quite some time. The frank, artless Stanwyck mannerisms are just what the role needs.

Tough Eggs. Lloyd Nolan and Stanley Ridges cut themselves fine, fat wedges of acting in a pair of scenes. Nolan is a not-so-bad fellow, his principal crime being taking bets on the horses, which some people hold is no crime at all.

But Ridges has the part of a downright no-good and plays with a finesse that is a delight. For the most exciting sequence, may we recommend the emergency operation in the bathroom, with rum serving as antiseptic and the bar utensils as surgical instruments?

Heidt Hits Heights. Horace Heidt, according to his own admission, hasn't been in Washington for five years. After seeing his act, one and all will agree that this protracted absence is a city calamity and must never occur again.

For sheer smartness in entertaining, the Heidt outfit is in a class of its own. Not only are all the performers top-notch, but the tremendous arrangement of novelties and contrasts keeps audience interest right on the qui vive every second.

On the stage at Loew's Capitol this week, the headline spot is occupied by Lenore Ulric in the tragic climactic scene from her Belasco success, "Lulu Belle." This is a role that never has engaged this commentator's most ardent enthusiasm, but it was well received at the performance reviewed yesterday afternoon. Both Miss Ulric and her leading man yesterday seemed to be in the throes of microphone trouble. They were distinctly audible one moment and practically mute the next. That is something that will adjust itself as the week wears on.

Miss Ulric, however, has appeared more personally alluring than yesterday. There has been a slight accretion of ebullience since her last appearance here and it is completely in her favor.

Jackie Stops Show. The youngster who romped away with yesterday's matinee crowd was Little Jackie Heller, the singing wonder with a way about him. His numbers were well chosen and sung in splendid voice. He had to keep coming out to the ramp in front of Phil Lamarkin's Orchestra until he almost fell off the treacherous thing.

Others on the stage portion of the bill include Mills, Kirk and Howard, three lusty comedians of the rough-and-tumble school of humor, and Saul Grauman and his Musical Staircase, a flight of steps all keyed up to the toe-tapping of group of attractive young women who step out pipe organ tones while doing their dance routines.

The Fox Movietone News and Maestro Lamarkin's overture and the auxiliary features of a bill that may be recommended as a definite antidote for the early spring ennui that follows in the wake of the Major Woody S. Van Dykes!

Palace. "WALKING WEDDING." Paramount picture of a story by Frank Butler and Don Hartman, adapted to the screen by Frank Butler and Don Hartman. Opening at the Palace Theatre Friday afternoon at 2:30.

The prosecution of the gang by District Attorney David Graham (Humphrey Bogart) is climaxed by their conviction to prison sentences. Grahame, incidentally, is attracted to Mary. The seduction which could not strictly be called "happy," is comically.

Nelson B. Bell About The Show Shops "The Hit Parade," at Loew's Capitol, Is a Fine Antidote for Spring Ennui

Merry Musical Has Some
Fine Voices and Tunes;
Miss Ulric on Stage.

"THE HIT PARADE." Republic Pictures presentation of a story by Bradford Lyndes, adapted to the screen by Lyndes and John McCrea, with Lloyd Nolan, Jeanette MacDonald, and Barbara Stanwyck. Opening at the Capitol Theatre Friday afternoon at 2:30.

If there is any criticism to be leveled at this handsomely outfitted exhibit, it is that the producers have attempted to pack too much entertainment into too small a space.

Read the list of participants in this gay frolic—in the small type at the head of this column and see for yourself the plethora of talent that had gone into its making. It seldom becomes the lot of the reviewer to carp at too much of a good thing, but this almost becomes the lot.

The story has been done time and time again. It is the ancient one about the broadcast that has to go on, perhaps most recently celebrated in "The Big Broadcast."

The answer is that Barbara Stanwyck is not only pretty fine, but better than she has been for quite some time. The frank, artless Stanwyck mannerisms are just what the role needs.

Has Catchy Tunes. The picture is generously sprinkled with catchy tunes and all of the members of the cast have a right to be in there—as we say out at the ballyard. Phil Regan has never been better and Frances Langford, despite that prehensile lip, sings in her best voice.

In addition to these, there are the Tic Toc Girls, a vocalizing trio that will engage any music lover's attention; the Gentle Maniacs—please, Mr. Composer, not Gentle—a triumvirate of lowbrow clowns that Washington has known ever since Jack Pepper brought them to town; and the part of a downright no-good and plays with a finesse that is a delight.

For the most exciting sequence, may we recommend the emergency operation in the bathroom, with rum serving as antiseptic and the bar utensils as surgical instruments?

Heidt Hits Heights. Horace Heidt, according to his own admission, hasn't been in Washington for five years. After seeing his act, one and all will agree that this protracted absence is a city calamity and must never occur again.

For sheer smartness in entertaining, the Heidt outfit is in a class of its own. Not only are all the performers top-notch, but the tremendous arrangement of novelties and contrasts keeps audience interest right on the qui vive every second.

On the stage at Loew's Capitol this week, the headline spot is occupied by Lenore Ulric in the tragic climactic scene from her Belasco success, "Lulu Belle." This is a role that never has engaged this commentator's most ardent enthusiasm, but it was well received at the performance reviewed yesterday afternoon. Both Miss Ulric and her leading man yesterday seemed to be in the throes of microphone trouble. They were distinctly audible one moment and practically mute the next. That is something that will adjust itself as the week wears on.

Miss Ulric, however, has appeared more personally alluring than yesterday. There has been a slight accretion of ebullience since her last appearance here and it is completely in her favor.

Jackie Stops Show. The youngster who romped away with yesterday's matinee crowd was Little Jackie Heller, the singing wonder with a way about him. His numbers were well chosen and sung in splendid voice. He had to keep coming out to the ramp in front of Phil Lamarkin's Orchestra until he almost fell off the treacherous thing.

Others on the stage portion of the bill include Mills, Kirk and Howard, three lusty comedians of the rough-and-tumble school of humor, and Saul Grauman and his Musical Staircase, a flight of steps all keyed up to the toe-tapping of group of attractive young women who step out pipe organ tones while doing their dance routines.

The Fox Movietone News and Maestro Lamarkin's overture and the auxiliary features of a bill that may be recommended as a definite antidote for the early spring ennui that follows in the wake of the Major Woody S. Van Dykes!

Palace. "WALKING WEDDING." Paramount picture of a story by Frank Butler and Don Hartman, adapted to the screen by Frank Butler and Don Hartman. Opening at the Palace Theatre Friday afternoon at 2:30.

The prosecution of the gang by District Attorney David Graham (Humphrey Bogart) is climaxed by their conviction to prison sentences. Grahame, incidentally, is attracted to Mary. The seduction which could not strictly be called "happy," is comically.

Isabel Jewell has a swell part. Bogart is good, but it is Davis' evidently this one Academy winner who is not resting on her laurels.

Claude McCoy, with his Sugar Blues orchestra, performs a pleasant musical short. Popeye presents "Hospitality," the newsreel contains shots of Dempsey, Babe Ruth, the new Army bomber, a CAC wedding and social security Mary.

Appearances Bely Their Affection



Although the title of their new picture, on the screen at RKO-Keith's, is "The Woman I Love," there seems to be no great expression of the grand passion in this photograph of Miriam Hopkins and Paul Muni, co-stars in the piece. They are named, of course, in the usual direction of left to right, although since Miss Hopkins, usually, is unbarred, there would be slight ground for confusion!

In Hollywood

With
JIMMY FIDLER

Hollywood, April 23—Idol chatter: Adolphe Menjou's dog totes a spare pack of cigarettes and matches in that box attached to his harness. I honestly believe Joan Crawford's shoulders are broader than those of her husband, Francis Ford. From the same pad: Gail Patrick, looking at Janet Gaynor, Jean Harlow and Frances Langford, you must admit a cleft chin counts for something. No claim to fame more changed by a new hair-do than Claude Colbert's.

Whenever I see Betty Davis in those cute about-the-house shorts, I wonder how she affects such screen meanness. Despite parental feuds, I bet Shirley Temple and Jane Withers would like to play together. When I take a quick look at Dick Powell, all I see is upper lip. Impressionistic drawing of Joe Penner: The one guy who remembered to "duck" at the right time. Bing Crosby has almost as many relatives on his pay roll as "Uncle" Carl Laemmle once had.

If it is true women fall for the same type twice, someone must warn Mrs. Frederic March that Elaine Barrie is back. Hard to tell the difference between William Powell and his stand-in except on pay day; that stand-in stands in line for his. Ginger Rogers without Fred Astaire is like Astaire without Ginger, if you get what I mean. The studio figured that Tyrone Power's new starring dignity warranted the dropping

of the extraordinary histrionism of Wafford, the pig, to lend "Waikiki Wedding" a punch of appreciable weight.

Among the others in the cast may be mentioned George Barbier, the pineapple king; Grady Sutton, who isn't quite yet to first base in this one; Mitchell Lewis, one of the veterans of the gelatin, and a huge ensemble of Hawaiians. Some of the native rites that are made an integral part of the filmed action are worthy of anybody's interested attention. Especially a few of those hula-hula dancers.

The second week of "Waikiki Wedding" at the Palace also includes continuation of the short subjects.

Columbia. "MAYTIME." Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production of the opera by Sigmund Romberg, with John R. Young, adapted to the screen by Noel Langford and How, starring Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy, with John Barrymore, Herman Bing, Tom Brown, Lynne Carter, Rafaela Ottiano, Charles L. Rogers, Sigmund Romberg, Walter Kingsford, Guy Bates Post. Directed by Robert Z. Leonard.

By every right of perfect sound recording, exceptional performance and the original tunefulness of the Sigmund Romberg score, the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production of "Maytime" deserves to continue its downtown popularity as chief feature of the current week's bill at Loew's Columbia Theatre.

With Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy singing as they never have sung before for the cameras and microphones in the principal roles, this subject is further notable for the fine support accorded the stars by a sterling cast led by John Barrymore and including such consummate artists as Rafaela Ottiano, Herman Bing, Tom Brown, Charles Judels, Sigmund Romberg, and Paul Porcasi.

Into the score of the original Romberg work have been interpolated a considerable number of

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Players Excel Play on Screen At RKO-Keith's

Aviation Story Is Given
Fine Treatment by a
Stellar Cast.

"THE WOMAN I LOVE." RKO-Keith's presentation of a story by Joseph Kessel, adapted to the screen by Joseph Kessel and John McCrea, with Lloyd Nolan, Jeanette MacDonald, and Barbara Stanwyck. Opening at the RKO-Keith Theatre Friday afternoon at 2:30.

The play and the performances in it are very different matters this week on Fifteenth street.

The play? Well you've seen it if you saw "Road to Glory," or "Dawn Patrol," or "The Eagle and the Hawk," or (remember) "Wings." In fact, you've seen at least parts of it in every war or aviation picture ever made. Two soldiers, great friends, loyal to each other, and then the woman. We're beginning to think that blondes were more dangerous to soldiers than Big Berthas.

But the performances are something else again and with the names that are appearing on the billboards this week, it's probably performance you're going to see. Of course, there isn't any really new way to express comradeship, suffering, loyalty, and inordinate manly devotion, but Paul Muni and Louis Hayward certainly do it as well as any pair we recall seeing. Muni again demonstrates just how fine he can be in an almost every self-consciously unspectacular part. He is tender, kindly and intensely sympathetic. But sympathetic also is Louis Hayward, completely disarming, sincere and straightforward.

Stealing First Scene. Maybe that is why we didn't care much for Miriam Hopkins (usually a favorite), who causes all the trouble, and never seems gay enough or important enough to be worth it. Incidentally, we can't remember a scene of instantaneous attraction we didn't want to say "love at first sight," better done than the first scene of this play. Hayward makes it completely credible.

The play is so far beneath the talents of its actors that you wonder how they keep it interesting but they do, in spite of banal dialogue and one coincidence after another. Perhaps the secret is that we know what intelligent, talented people they are and expect them to work out their own story. It does have a few points of departure from the usual wartime triangle and the playing is rather unusual and somehow completely satisfying.

The war scenes seem authentic and there are not too many of them. The planes do not look like today's models magically transplanted to the France of 1917.

Some Old Friends. Colin Clive, in a sympathetic part so much better suited to him than the sadistic husband of the recent "History is Made at Night" adds considerably, and Elizabeth Risdon and a youngster, new to us, play Hayward's brother and their bits excellently. It almost seems like National Theater Players reunion week with Minor Watson and Owen Davis, Jr., both in the cast. Neither is important to the story, but it's nice to see them again.

Subsidiaries include lovely views of the glorious Yosemite National Park; stupid musical short not short enough, and Pathe News with gambolesque lambs really feeling spring fever.

Luncheon of Sorority
Is Scheduled for Today

More than 100 Alpha Kappa Alpha women, assembled here for their North Atlantic regional conference, are expected to attend the luncheon in Sorjourner Truth Hall, Howard University, today at 2 p. m.

Participating in the luncheon program, which has been arranged by the Washington hostess chapters—Xi Omega, Alpha, and Beta Lambda—will be Miss Ida Belle Yeiser, poet and author, of Philadelphia; Miss Pauline Redmond, social worker of Washington, and Mrs. Edna Over Gray, Baltimore, director of the North Atlantic Region. The luncheon committee includes Miss Thomas Corrothers, Mrs. Jessie Hailstrom, Mrs. Miss Elmer Cella Hackett, Miss Mary Crozier Wood, Miss Myrtle Alma Robinson and Miss Julia Elaine Waters.

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The Post's New Yorker

By
LEONARD LYONS

NEW YORK, April 23. POLICE COMMISSIONER VALENTINE: Tania Lubova, the hammer-murder victim, had her nose straightened last month by a noted Broadway plastic surgeon, to whom she stated: "I want to become beautiful, so beautiful that men will love me so much that they'll even kill for me." I'll furnish his name if you want it. . . . John D. Rockefeller: The report now is that you intend raising your Radio Center Tower, and erecting an office building on that site. . . . Bill Terry: Alice Duar Miller, the venerable novelist, played one-eyed cat at Ben Hecht's home last week-end, and bunted safely three times. When it was suggested that they put in a runner for her, she replied: "I can run as fast as any man here," bunted again—and slid safely to first base. Her friends call her "Butch."

JIMMY CROWELL: Your wife, Doris Duke, must be serious regarding that drama career she's talking about. She's already taken dancing lessons from Bill Robinson and piano lessons from Mario Braggiotti. . . . Everett Marshall: Mitzel Green will follow you as the next attraction at the Versailles. . . . Broadway Association: Joe Louis opens at the Frisco. Although he's been headlining for 15 years, this is his first appearance in a night club on Broadway. . . . Victor Moore: The story for your next picture with Helen Broderick was just bought from Walter O'Keefe, who wrote it in one night—for \$5,000.

MITZI HAYNES: When you rushed away to marry Dave Gould, the dance director whom you had met only two days earlier, you forgot to hand in your notice in "Behind Red Lights." They held the curtain for 20 minutes, waiting for you. . . . Abe Lyman: Rose Blane, your vocalist, opens at Leon and Eddie's tonight. . . . Snug Harbor: Ray and Leta Taylor, the Bermuda swimming champs, will set sail Saturday from here to Bermuda in a 42-foot boat. . . . Elsa Maxwell: Is it true that a liquor concern is paying you \$5,000 to conduct that swank party you're planning in Louisville, following the Kentucky Derby?

GEORGE ABBOTT: An accident happened Monday night at your "Brother Rat." Ezra Stone, the lad whose military school role calls for him to bend across a table and get whacked by a broom, rushed onstage and put his arm through the glass door. Frank Albertson saw the blood dripping, but Ezra kept to his lines. "You," Albertson ad-libbed, "get the hell out of here, mister!" Ezra obeyed, was treated by a doctor and received an anti-tetanus injection. Then he returned to the stage—to bend across the table and be whacked by the broom—in exactly the spot where he just had received the injection!

BEN BERNIE: Mickey Alpert will conduct a band at the new Riviera, and is signing musicians who worked in your orchestra before you retired. . . . Will Hays: William Faulkner, the writer, is saying this about whether he'll appear in the picture "The Sign of the Cross": "I've been in the Hollywood ruins 2,000 years from now, the only things they'll find will be the iron stakes used by the horse-shoe tossers." . . . Avery Brundage: A young man who applied for the special athletes' course at the New York School of Music, almost was turned down because he didn't look like an athlete. He's Glenn Hardin, the Olympic champion. . . . J. P. O'Connor: New York is being flooded with \$2 bills. It's a gag started by the Stork Club, which hands out these bills now, in change.

LORENZO CARLINO: Thomas E. Dewey has taken every precaution to see that the conditions resulting from his Luciano vice investigation will not be reversed. Ever since the trials began Dewey has had a staff of 12 lawyers working in the library of the Supreme Court in Washington, digging up cases to be used in the appeal to the higher courts, which he anticipated you'd make in behalf of your clients. Those lawyers are still working there. That's why no strangers are permitted to enter the library and other lawyers secure entrance are warned to keep away from the two corner tables reserved for Dewey's staff.

PEACHES BROWNING: That young lady who shyly asked for your autograph Tuesday night at the Hollywood is Heloise Martin, who hasn't done so badly in the way of publicity herself. She's the Drake University undergrad who figured in the College Humor shower ad. . . . Fred Astaire: This week the arrangement finally was made wherein you're not to appear in any more pictures with Ginger Rogers. . . . Joe Cronin: Al Schacht, the baseball clown who worked for you last season, will be screened written by Warner's. . . . Irving Berlin: When Oscar Levant, the song writer-composer, attended the birthday party at your home, he listened to the wealthy song writers discussing their possessions. "I'll just keep plugging away at being an artist," he told the group disdainfully, "that is—until I write a hit!"

Film Table
Loew's Capitol—"Hit Parade," at 11 a. m., 1:35, 4:15, 7:05 and 9:55 p. m. Stage shows at 12:40, 3:20, 6:10 and 9 p. m.
Earle—"Interiors Can't Take Money," at 8:45 a. m., 12:10, 2:40, 5:05, 7:35 and 10:05 p. m. Stage shows at 11:10 a. m., 1:40, 4:05, 6:35 and 9:05 p. m.
RKO-Keith's—"The Woman I Love," at 11:46 a. m., 1:46, 3:46, 5:46, 7:46 and 9:46 p. m.
Palace—"Waikiki Wedding," at 11:15 a. m., 1:15, 3:20, 5:25, 7:30 and 9:35 p. m.
Trans-Lux—"Newsreel and Shorts," at 10 and 11:15 a. m., 12:30, 1:45, 4:15, 5:30, 6:45, 8:15 and 10:45 p. m.
Metropolitan—"Marked Woman," at 11 a. m., 1:05, 3:10, 5:20, 7:25 and 9:35 p. m.
Columbia—"Maytime," at 11:15 a. m., 1:30, 4:20, 6:55 and 9:25 p. m.
Rialto—"39 Steps," at 11:17 a. m., 1:52, 4:34, 7:22 and 10:10 p. m. "First Girl," at 12:37, 3:12, 5:54 and 8:42 p. m.
Little Theater—"Barretts of Wimpole Street," at 11, 1:06, 3:12, 5:18, 7:23 and 9:35 p. m.
Tivoli—"A Family Affair," at 1, 3, 5, 7:40, 9:20 and 10 p. m.
Ambassador—"Nancy Steele Is Missing," at 2, 4:05, 6:15, 8:05 and 9:55 p. m.
Uptown—"We're on the Jury," at 2, 4:10, 6:10, 8 and 9:50 p. m.
Belasco—"Ecstasy," at 12:05, 2:06, 4:07, 6:08, 8:09 and 10 p. m.

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Woodruff's Anchor Leg Scores for Pitt

Deckard Gallops Off With 3,000 Steeplechase; Lash Anchors Distance Medley; Woodruff Gives Pitt First Relay Title Since '18, Sets Mark.

By the Associated Press.

Philadelphia, April 23.—Indiana University's famous foot racers signaled their return to triumph in the Pennsylvania relay carnival, after a three-year lapse, by smashing two meet records and tying an American mark today in complete defiance of chilly weather and a cinder track that was soggy from two days of rain.

Shu Hurls, Catches, Hits V. M. I. Frosh To 9-to-6 Triumph

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Lexington, Va., April 23.—Paul Shu, versatile V. M. I. freshman athlete from Alexandria, pitched and caught the Cadet freshmen to three hits and one run. He finished with a 9-to-6 victory over the Virginia Tech Freshmen here today.

Shu caught for the first four innings, and then switched to the pitcher's mound to hold the young Gobblers to three hits and one run. He finished with a 9-to-6 victory over the Virginia Tech Freshmen here today.

Heavy hitting featured the game. Mitchell, Cadet outfielder, smacked three hits in four times up, including a home run and a double, and Roundtree, Tech catcher, got three for five, including a double. Simpson, Cadet first baseman, cracked out a home run.

lopsided victory for the Hoosiers in the steeplechase. Taking the hurdles and water jump with graceful ease, Deckard soon had a dozen rivals gasping in futile attempts to follow his fast pace. He finished fully 150 yards in front of Fordham's Jim Rafferty. His time, 9:28.5, set by another Fordham runner, Joe McCluskey, in 1933.

Three years ago Indiana dominated the Penn relays, with Chuck Hornbostel in a stellar role, by capturing the one mile, two mile and sprint medley relay crowns. Pittsburgh's return to the victory column, after a 19-year interval, gave the long-legged Woodruff a chance to perform at his best. His team-mates, Thomas, Mason and Cooper, running in that order in the sprint medley championship, combined to give the Negro flier a two-yard lead on the final take-off. Woodruff, unimpeded, easily pulled away from Manhattan's anchor runner, Lou Burns, and stretched his margin to 35 yards at the finish. Princeton was third and seven others trailed far in the wake of the Negro's seven-league strides. Pitt's time of 3:26.4 eclipsed the

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Sophomore Dominates Drake Meet

Olympians Sam Francis, Robinson Are Shaded by Bill Feiler.

By the Associated Press.

Des Moines, Iowa, April 23.—Bill Feiler, 120 pounds of blond, Drake University sophomore distance-running machinery, raced to a draw with a pair of Uncle Sam's 1936 Olympic stars, Southpaw Sam Francis of Nebraska, and dusky Mack Robinson of Pasadena Junior College, today in the opening program of the twenty-eighth annual Drake relay games.

Francis won his second straight discus title with a good heave of 149.09 feet, and Robinson, fleet enough to finish second to Jesse Owens in the Olympic 200 meters, stepped out with a leap of 25 feet 5 1/2 inches to win the broad jump trophy. But it was Little William, of the Dickinson, N. Dak. Feilers, who engineered something Drake fans have waited long to see—two championships in its own track and field relay classic.

Feiler, the midge of the field, galloped to an easy triumph in the special 2-mile race, finishing a good 50 yards in front of Lloyd Cooke, of Wisconsin. His time, 9 minutes 35 seconds, was anything but startling, but the manner in which he went about his work was almost sensational. He watched the pace for two laps, then kicked by the lack of haste, stepped out into the lead and increased his margin with each smoothly flowing stride.

He finished up his day—Drake's own private relay day—by anchoring the Bulldog's first victorious relay team since 1912, in the distance medley event. He broke the tape 60 yards ahead of Nebraska's Matteson.

The first day of the meet passed without a record going overboard, but most of the relay finishes were thrillers.

A brilliant half-mile by Dick Squire gave Ohio State victory in the sprint medley relay, on the university's first for the first time. Rice Institute was second, with Iowa third and Kansas State fourth.

Francis also qualified for the finals of the shotput with a heave of 51 feet 5 1/2 inches. Robinson also scored a double, winning the broad jump with a leap of 25 feet 5 1/2 inches, and qualifying for the finals of the 100-yard dash in 10.2.

Alton Terry, of Hardin-Simmons, easily led qualifiers in the javelin throw. He threw the spear 218.09 feet, which is 11 feet short of the American record—a mark he holds himself.

Lee Orr, a member of the Canadian Olympic team last year, helped Washington State sweep the relay trials for the 1-mile university relay in 3:16.5 and ran anchor on the Washington State team which qualified for the 440-yard university relay.

Harold Cagle, of Oklahoma Baptist, another Olympic runner, helped his team qualify in the college two division sprint medley relay.

The 120-yard high hurdles tomorrow promised to be a struggle among "four Jacks"—Jack Piersen, of Rice; Jack Robinson, of Illinois; Dartmouth's Jack Donovan, and Jack Kellner, of Wisconsin, each winning a heat. Patterson turned in the most impressive job, in 14.8.

Bobby Grieve, Illinois' little sprint ace, galloped his heat of the 100-yard dash in the best time of the day, 10 seconds even, and appeared ready for a rousing tussle with Robinson.

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Displays Old Form

WAR ADMIRAL PROBABLE FAVORITE IN \$10,000 GRAW CONTEST.

By a Staff Correspondent.

Havre de Grace, Md., April 23.—Maryland's preview of the Kentucky Derby and Preakness is the big attraction tomorrow at this track. With nine horses named in the overnight entries, the \$10,000 added Chesapeake stakes holds the turf spotlight in the East. Seven of the starters are eligible for the Preakness and six are in line for the Derby.

If the predicted fair weather prevails, 30,000 or more persons will see the battle to be waged over the mile and a sixteenth route.

With one exception the line-up for the eighteenth running of the Chesapeake is the one that has been anticipated. The prominent absentee is Mrs. Myrtle Shea's Merry Maker. This colt, winner of two races at this meeting, was declared out of the race just before the entries closed this morning. In his race here last Wednesday, Merry Maker struck himself and a wind puff on his right front leg resulted. Trainer Willie Shea decided not to risk more serious injury to the colt and will rest him, hoping that the leg will heal in time for the Kentucky Derby and Preakness.

However, the race holds much interest for the turf experts, professional and amateur. The likely favorite is War Admiral, picture son of Man O'War, which many believe will go on to win the Derby. Charlie Kurling will do the riding. War Admiral will be making his first start at a long route and will be coupled with his stablemate, Over The Top, a Preakness winner. The Top was the recent surprise winner of A. G. Vanderbilt's Tedium, another that will start tomorrow.

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Record-Breaker

INDIANA UNIVERSITY, who anchored the Hoosiers' distance medley relay team yesterday as it smashed the Penn Relay mark and tied the American record for the event.

By the Associated Press.

White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., April 23.—Wayne Sabin, of Hollywood, Calif., and Gilbert Hall, of New York, will meet tomorrow in the men's singles title round of the seventeenth annual Mason-Dixon tennis tournament.

Virginia Rice Johnson, of Boston, won the women's singles championship today, defeating Eunice Dean, of San Antonio, Tex., 6-8, 6-4, 6-4, by steady but unexciting play. She won consistently after the first set by using a drop shot and a long, accurate base line cut.

Sabin defeated Martin Buxby, of Miami, Fla., in straight sets, 8-6, 6-4, 8-6, in the semifinals of the men's singles, and Hall eliminated Elwood Cooke, Portland, Ore., 4-6, 6-3, 6-2, 6-1.

Sabin took a 6-5 lead in the first set and the twelfth game went to set point six times. They played a 5-volley point in the eighth game of the third set.

The veteran Hall coasted through the first set of his match with Cooke, playing so easily he lost, but he opened up and took the match in straight sets.

In the mixed doubles finals, Miss Johnson and Sabin defeated Miss Dean and Buxby, 9-7, 6-1. The men's doubles will be played tomorrow.

Hall and Sabin teamed together earlier today to defeat Walter Merrill Hall, of New York, and Lawrence A. Baker, of Washington, in the quarter finals of the men's doubles 8-6, 6-3.

Other quarter-finals results: Mace Gwyer and Ed Degray, both of New York, won from Thomas Mangin, of Washington, and F. C. Baggs, of New York, 4-6, 6-0, 6-3.

Pall Caster.

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Brucker, c. 3 1 1 1 0 0
Newsome, ss. 3 1 1 2 0 0
Cissell, 2b. 4 0 1 0 2 0
Caster, p. 4 0 0 1 0 0

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Runs batted in—Cissell, Myer, Johnson. Two-base hit—Johnson. Three-base hit—Myer. Home run—Johnson. Sacrifices—Dean, Newsome. Double play—Newsome to Dean. Left on bases—Philadelphia, 6; Washington, 11. First base on balls—Off Caster, 9; off Appleton, 5; off Linke, 1. Struck out—By Caster, 9; by Appleton, 3; by Linke, 2. Hits—Off Appleton, 7 in 7 innings; off Linke, 1 in 2 innings. Losing pitcher—Caster. Umpires—Owens, Hubbard and Dinnem. Time of game—2 hours 5 minutes.

BASEBALL TODAY
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Washington vs. Philadelphia
AMERICAN LEAGUE PARK

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A's Rookie Gives 4 Hits; Nats Bow, 7-1

Appleton Is Hit Freely; Caster Baffles Griffs; Myer Triples.

By Shirley Povich.

With 10,000 Ladies' Day guests in the stands and the Business and Professional Women's Club of Washington sponsoring flag-raising ceremonies in centerfield, the proceedings at Griffith Stadium yesterday were exceedingly lady-like—including the Nats' hitting.

In fact, it may be said that the Nats' hitting was almost old-womanish. They struck out to the number nine, beat harmless grounders into the dirt when they weren't popping up, and altogether contrived to make only four hits, two of which were of doubtful quality.

Oh, yes, and they took a 7-to-1 licking from Connie Mack's young, spry Athletics.

Mr. Mack's athletes, in contrast to the Nats, were a virile lot out there yesterday. They blasted the pitching of Pete Appleton for healthy socks all afternoon and presented in young George Caster a pitcher who had speed to burn and did, in fact, burn it over the plate.

This Caster, who was sent out to the Coast League for seasoning last year and sprouted 25 victories there, yielded only two bona fide hits—a single by Ben Chapman and a triple by Buddy Myer. The other two were infield taps by Cecil Travis.

In the last five innings, the Nats' portion was a solitary hit—Myer's triple which followed a base on balls to Travis and saved Washington from the ignominy of a shut-out by the tow-headed rookie right-hander.

The Washington athletes got a fair preview of the pitching they could expect from Caster when Miss Ruth Robinson, national president of the Business and Professional Women's Clubs, tossed out the opening ball after the flapdoodle parade behind the Metropolitan Boys Club Band.

Miss Robinson, who apparently can heave a sigh farther than President Roosevelt tosses his national opening-game pitches, slammed a high fast one into the line of ball players to end the ceremonies and launch the ball game.

The A's didn't tarry with Appleton.

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Lower—Sweater shirt designed for tennis by Ellsworth Vines, Jr. Long or short sleeves. \$2

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Advt.

In the delightfully informal surroundings of Lake's, Where Life Begins—at least according to the verbiage of the bright lights strewn across Col. Jimmy Lake's one-of-a-kind-dine-and-dance place—this department last evening was straining an eardrum.

Not to catch the strains of Col. Jimmy's 42-piece band, or the vocalizing of Margo or the intricate laps of the Harlem hot shots, but to hear Col. Lake expound upon big league baseball and his 37 years as a fan.

Col. James, who reigned for 20 years as the highest-paid straight man in burlesque, is always a welcome figure at our table in his Ninth street night spot—and, not because he unflinchingly picks up the tab. To coin a phrase, he's a card.

Jimmy, it seems, has been going to ball games ever since he could wangle the admission fee out of his profits as a butcher boy in Tony Pastor's and has his own definite ideas about baseball.

Summer Drop Seen as Check To Trade Rise

Business Volume Holds at Best Level of Recovery Period.

New York, April 23.—In its weekly survey of the general business situation, the Standard Statistics Co. says today:

"Indication point to a well-sustained level of industrial activity over the next month or two, followed by a recession this summer of possibly moderate severity, seasonal proportions. A renewed upturn is likely to get under way by September, barring some unpredictable adverse development, with a steady increase in both production and distribution of goods in the final quarter."

"The volume of trade is continuing to hold the best levels of the recovery period, but signs are beginning to appear of a moderate tapering off of incoming orders, compared with the unusually active demand earlier in the year. There already has been a definite easing in demand for cotton textiles, and steel ordering, although still heavy, has receded from the extraordinary level prevailing in March."

"There are reasons for the belief, moreover, that the recent heavy inventory accumulation and anticipatory commitments have passed their peak and that buying programs will be on a more conservative basis over the near term. Among these reasons is the fact that the recent sharp recession in the speculative raw material markets will probably dampen buying sentiment nationally."

"The labor situation has calmed down during the past two weeks, although a large number of additional strikes will probably be witnessed, the basis for forward buying of commodities as occurred in strike threats, such as cotton, the coal and steel industries early this year, is lacking at this time."

D.C. Bankers' Chairman Off to White Sulphur

Headed by A. M. McLachlen, general chairman of the nineteenth annual convention of the District of Columbia Bankers' Association, the officers of the association and chairman of various committees entertained yesterday for White Sulphur Springs to complete final arrangements for the forthcoming convention which opens May 27.

In addition to Acting President Thomas J. Groom and General Chairman McLachlen, the following committee heads left for the West Virginia resort: Charles J. Doig, Washington Loan & Trust Co.; T. Stanley Holland, American Security & Trust Co.; Hillary G. Hoskinson, Riggs National Bank; Robert H. Lacey, Columbia National Bank; A. Scott Offutt, City Bank; John A. Reilly, Second National Bank; Sidney F. Talaferro, Riggs National Bank; and Wilmer J. Waller, Hamilton National Bank.

The Day's Movements In Leading Markets

Stocks	Fri. Thur.
Advances	123 169
Declines	608 511
Unchanged	132 179

Total issues 861 859
Decline sharply in late trading; volume, 1,502,559.

Bonds.
U. S. Government issues drop further; transfers, 10,077,000.
Curb.
Lower: aluminum down 7 points; turnover, 323,000.

Commodities.
Wheat and cotton lower; sugar improved; coffee steady.

Exchange.
Lower: Great Britain, 44.93 1/4; France, 44.33 cents.

Cotton Is Lower; July, 13.21 Cents

New York, April 23 (AP)—Cotton was generally lower today with irregular fluctuations over a range of about 12 to 14 points. July sold off from 13.22 to 13.08 and then rallied to close at 13.21. Final prices were 4 to 8 points lower.

Future Price Range.

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Complete Transactions Yesterday on New York Stock Exchange

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Total stock sales yesterday, 1,002,289; previous day, 1,177,000; week, 6,845,000; year to date, 183,770,000; year ago, 200,892,163; two years ago, 1,008,910; two years ago, 65,753,203.

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DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court, No. 51424, Administration. This is to give notice that the undersigned, the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters of administration on the estate of Emma Frances Dean, late of the Districts of Columbia.

to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereon, to the underscriber, on or before the 2D DAY OF APRIL, A. 1938; otherwise they may be held to be records of said estate. Given under my hand this 2d day of April, 1937. GEORGE DANE, 1911 1/2 N. 3RD ST., COLUMBIA, MO. 65201.

THORODE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court.

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GUY & BROOKS, FREDERIC B. WARDER, Attorneys, Edmunds Building.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the District of Columbia, Probate Court, District of Columbia. This is to give notice that the underscriber, of the District of Columbia, has received and is holding for the District of Columbia letters testamentary

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All persons having claims against the estate of the above named deceased, are hereby notified to present the same, with the vouchers thereon, legally authenticated, to the underscriber, on or before the 30TH DAY OF MARCH, 1938; otherwise they may by law be held to be claims against said estate. Given under our hand this 29th day of March, 1937. NELSON P. MARSHALL, 14 Market Street, New York City, N. Y. 10003. JUDY S. DANE, 1911 1/2 N. 3RD ST., COLUMBIA, MO. 65201. M. C. ALBERT, 8641 1/2 N. 11th Avenue, Washington, D. C. 20012.

THORODE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court.

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Auction Sales

TUESDAY, APRIL 27, 1937—
ADAM A. WESCHER & SON, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF DETACHED FRAME DWELLING, SEVEN ROOMS AND BATH, HOT-WATER HEAT (OIL), NO. 20, 1500 1/2 DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

of the estate of May Dyer von Briesen, deceased, of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the undersigned, at the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, on the 1ST DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1938; otherwise they may be lawfully excluded from all proceedings in said estate. Given under my hand this 1st day of April, 1937. WALTER THORODE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court.

JOHN L. BARR, Attorney
The Wyomins.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the District of Columbia. In Case No. 1937-1041, Administration. This is to give notice that the underscriber, of the State of Maryland, do hereby certify that the undersigned is the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters of administration of the estate of John L. Barr, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the undersigned, at or before the 6TH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1938; otherwise they may be lawfully excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 6th day of April, 1937. WALTER THORODE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court.

C. T. CLAYTON, Attorney
The Wyomins Building.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the District of Columbia. In Case No. 51324, Administration. This is to give notice that the underscriber, of the District of Columbia, do hereby certify that the undersigned is the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court.

CHARLES A. JONES,
The Wyomins Building.

NORTHWEST WITH GARAGE

By virtue of a deed of trust recorded in Liber No. 6782, folio 371, et seq., one of the public records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of party secured, the undersigned, as Trustee, do hereby offer for sale by public auction, in front of the premises on THURSDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF APRIL, 1938, at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following-described property in the District of Columbia, to-wit: Lot 13 in square 3170 in William S. Phillips' subdivision, more particularly shown on "Girl's Portion" map recorded in Subdivision map No. 64, of the records of the District of Columbia. Subject to the building restrictions shown on said map. Subject to covenants of record. Subject to the right of redemption by the maker of the mortgage, or by the holder of the mortgage, and assuming, within a period of 60 days after the date of sale, to pay the principal and interest, with costs, charges and holidays, as provided in said deed of trust.

TERMS OF SALE. One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash, balance in three equal payments of interest-bearing promissory notes of purchaser, payable in one and two years with interest at 6 per cent, per annum, and principal payable semiannually, secured by first deed of trust in favor of the undersigned, as Trustee, of purchaser. A deposit of \$500 required of purchaser at recording. Revenue stamps and notarial fees at cost of purchaser to be paid by purchaser. Redemption period from expiration of redemption period of 60 days after date of sale. No cash or lien property at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser, after five days' advertisement, to be paid by purchaser. All cash to be published in Washington, D. C., or deposited in a bank, and the cash or cash of public trustees may avail themselves of any legal or equitable rights against defaulting purchaser.

CHARLES A. JONES,
Trustee.

THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers.
1431 Eye Street Northwest.

OF MARCH, A. D. 18: otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 15th day of March, 1937. CLARA E. SMITH, 609 Franklin Street, Northeast, District of Columbia. C. DODGE CROSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court, 10.17.24

GEO. H. CALVERT, Jr., Attorney,
432 Indiana Avenue Northwest.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED
States for the District of Columbia,
Holding Probate Court, No. 31494, Adminis-
tration. This is to be noted that the
subscribed in the District of Columbia has
been obtained from the Probate Court of the
District of Columbia, and at the request of the
party secured thereby, the undersigned
trustees will sell, at public auction, in
front of the premises on FRIDAY
MAY TWENTIETH DAY OF APRIL, A.D. 1937, at
TWO-THIRTY O'CLOCK P. M., the fol-
lowing-described land and premises, situ-
ated in the District of Columbia, and dis-
cussed as being lot 99 in square 3314.

District of Columbia, testator's testamentary interest in the estate of Henry Kropp, Jr., late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the same, or who may hereafter be able to establish the same, are hereby notified to present the same, with the vouchers therefor, legally authenticated, to the undersigned, on or before the 31ST DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1938; otherwise they may be barred and excluded from all participation in the proceeds of the said estate.

ment of said estate under the will of my father, the 31st day of March, 1937. GEO. W. CALVERT, Jr. 452 Indian avenue northwest. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE ROGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 10.17.24

SAMUEL L. SAMUEL, Executor.
Investment Bldg.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Columbia. Probate Court, No. 1515 Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber of the State of Connecticut, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia ancillary letters of administration on the estate of Anna M. Smith.

ceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers hereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 5TH DAY OF APRIL A. D. 1937, at which time any claim by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 1st day of April, 1937. L. J. HENNESSEY.

Advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.
 CHARLES J. OWEN,
 PAUL J. FRIZZELL,
 Trustees.

APRIL 22, 24, 27, 29
 FRIDAY, APRIL 30, 1937—
 THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers.
 1431 Eye Street Northwest.

187. 180 Gullinipiac reet. Wallinsford.
 Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE
 ROGERS, Register of Wills for the Dis-
 trict of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate
 Court. 17.24.1

F. G. MUNSON.
 2703 Thirty-fourth Place N.W.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED

minutes for the District of Columbia Probate Court, No. 51456, Administration of the Estate of Samuel Hof, deceased, is given notice that the undersigned, as the District Court Clerk, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters testamentary in the estate of Samuel Hof, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased Samuel Hof are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned on or before the THIRTIETH DAY OF APRIL A. D. 1937, at THREE-FIFTY EIGHT CENTS per copy, to be collected by the undersigned, at the premises situated in the District of Columbia, and designated as and being Lot 56 in Square

with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 26TH DAY OF MARCH, A.D. 1938; otherwise they may by law be extended to my benefit as said estate. Given my hand and seal this 8th day of March, 1937. ALICE MAYO HOPKINS, Nineteenth street, northwest. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COWSWELL, Registrar.

WELCH, DAILY & WELCH & W. EDWARD GALLAGHER, Attorneys.
710 Fourteenth Street N.W.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the District of Columbia.
Pending Probate Court, No. 51484, Admini-

TERMS OF SALE: One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash, balance in two equal installments, payable in one and two years, with interest at 5 per centum per annum, payable semi-annually from the second anniversary of the date of the deed of trust upon the property sold, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of \$500.00 will be required at

ation. This is to give notice that the subscribers of the State of Maryland and the District of Columbia, respectively, have been notified by the Federal Bureau of Investigation of the District of Columbia letters testamentary on the estate of Royce A. Nokes, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor, at the time and place of sale. All conveying, recording, revenue stamps, etc., at cost of purchaser, therefor, must be presented within ten days from expiration of redemption period, otherwise the trustees reserve the right to resell the property at the risk and cost of defaulting purchaser, after five days advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

1938: otherwise they may by law be ex-
 cluded from all benefit of said estate.
 Given under our hands this 26th day of
 March, 1937. JOHN H. PUMPHREY, 710
 fourteenth street northwest, D. C.
 SEABASTIAN, 32 Roxboro place northwest,
 D. C. (Seal) THEODORE COGSWELL.

CHARLES A. JONES,
 PAUL J. FRIZZELL,
 Trustees.
 P—APR. 20. 22. 24. 27. 29.
 FRIDAY, APRIL 30, 1937—
 THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers,
 1431 Eye Street Northwest.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE TWO-
 STORY BRICK DWELLING CONTAINING

Master of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court.
10.17.24

CHARLES L. NORRIS, Attorney.
2135 Pennsylvania Avenue Northwest.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court, No. 51475, Adminis-

ING SIX ROOMS AND ONE BATH WITH HOT-AIR HEAT, BEING PREMISES No. 56 RANDOLPH PLACE NORTHWEST.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust duly recorded in Liber No. 6792, folio 61 et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustee

tion. This is to notice that the subscribers of the District of Columbia, have obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, a copy of the will of the late Samuel S. Stokes, of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally

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 tended from all benefit of said estate.
 ven under our hands this 26th day of
 March, 1937. STELLA W. STOKES, 1235
 139: street southwest.
 140: W. STOKES, 1235 1/2 street southwest.
 141: STELLA W. STOKES, 5412 Thirty-se-
 142: cond street northwest. Attest: (Seal)

RODOLFO COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 10.17.24	chase money to be paid in cash, balance in two equal installments, payable in one and two years, with interest at five per centum on the unpaid balance, payable semi-annually from day to day, secured by a deed of trust upon the property sold, on all cash, at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of \$300 will be required at time of sale. All conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps, etc., at
W. CLARK TAYLOR, District National Bank Building.	
DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the District of Columbia, hold- ing Probate Court No. 49732, Administra-	

Notice. This is to give notice that the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of Emma Carson Spindie, of the United States for the District of Columbia granted letters of administration to the estate of Emma Carson Spindie, sometimes known as Emma C. Spindie, or Emily C. Spindie, deceased, has, with the approval of the District Court of the United States for the District of Columbia, appointed a Probate Court, appointed TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1921, at 10 o'clock, a. m., of said court, to receive and take account of the assets of said estate, and to pay the same to the creditors of said estate, and to distribute the balance to the persons entitled thereto. Terms of sale to be complied with within ten days from expiration of said advertisement. The trustees reserve the right to recall the property at the risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five days' advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

CHARLES A. JONES,
EMILY C. SPINDIE.

On the first day of June, 1937, at 10 o'clock a. m., as the time, and said Court met at the place, for making payment of a distribution from said estate, under said court's direction and control, when and where all creditors and persons entitled to distributive shares or legacies, or the residue, or parts thereof, are notified to attend, in person or by agent or attorney in fact, to appear and be heard.

estate properly vouchd. Given under
hands this 8th day of April, 1937.
THERINE MEIER, W. CLARK TAYLOR,
Attorney. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE
OSWELL, Register of Wills for the Dis-
trict of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate
Court.
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until 2 o'clock p. m., May 10, 1937, am-
bulance for Health Department; May 12,
1937, cotton yarn for D. C. Penal Institution;
May 14, 1937, street truck for
Sewer Division; Specifications and in-
formation at Room 320 District Building.

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Lieut. Comdr. U. S. N. R.



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